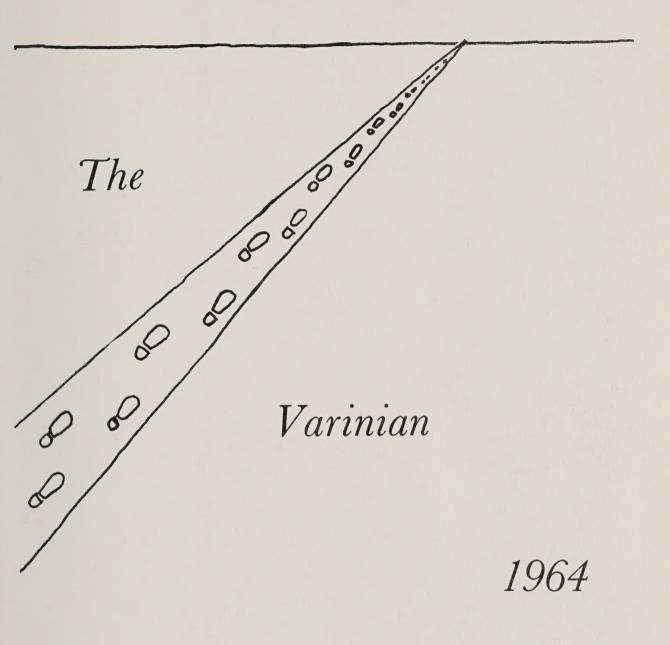
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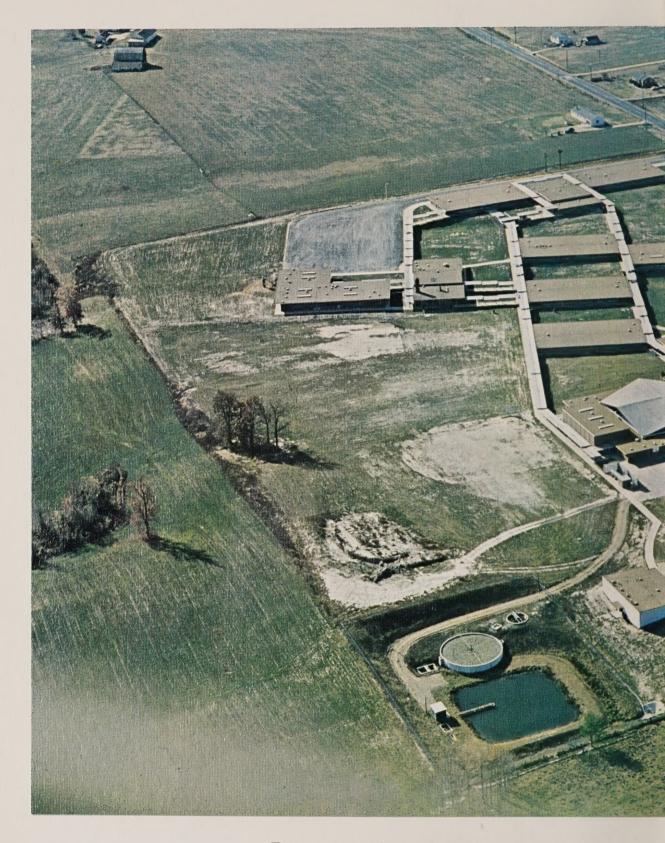
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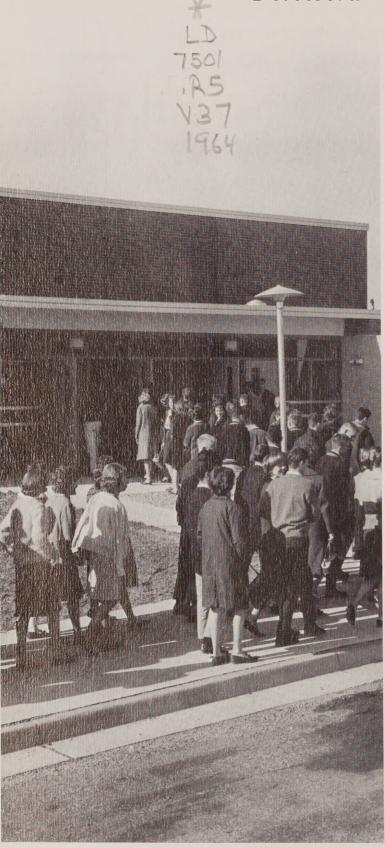


Progress Seen at Varina Through



Physical and Educational Aspects

Foreword



From the time the first bell rings in the morning until the buzzer marks the end of the last quarter of a ball game, the life of Varina goes on and is presented to you in the form of the 1964 Varinian. Through pictures, words, and the memories which it brings you and which only you as a student of the school can understand, the staff has tried to depict the achievements both physical and mental of the school and her students. Each phase of classroom curriculum and each activity represent the progress of everyone working together. For as the body cannot function properly without each member, or as the whole is equal to the sum of its parts, so is it true that without the cooperation and the participation of each student none can gain as much in intelligence or experience. Therefore, we take you through classrooms, clubs, and athletics - through the beginning for the seventh graders to the graduation into a new and exciting world for the Seniors - through Varina and thus through your way of life.

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Dedication



Mrs. Charlotte O'Brien

A short association of two years with Varina High School has proven adequate time to endear Mrs. O'Brien to her students. Through her constant challenges in learning, English and American Literature have come alive for her Senior and Junior classes and grammar has moved within the realm of comprehension. The Senior Class is especially grateful for her aid to us as a sponsor. Her leadership and creativity in the Paradox room, her guidance through the senior play, and her sincere interest in our every activity from class room to personal problems have been indispensible to us. As we move on from this stage of our lives we feel it appropriate to show our gratitude to one who has been such a vital factor to our progress. Thus, we the Senior Class hereby dedicate the 1964 Varinian to Mrs. Charlotte W. O'Brien.

RIGHT: A rare moment at her desk finds Mrs. O'Brien still busy, discussing World Literature with senior Craig Ormand. For this class she sacrifices her time before and after school hours.



BELOW: The blackboard is a vital tool of illustration and Mrs. O'Brien uses it in a Junior English class to explain the mysteries of elliptical construction. Prominent in the picture is the podium which, as any student will tell you, is the most likely place to see her during the day.





It is futile to go to J-6 sixth period in hopes of holding a conference with Mrs. O'Brien for she spends that period and sometimes till dark working on the school literary publication, the Paradox. Here with Jane Amory she is diverted for a moment to instruct another student.



Probably one of the reasons that students enjoy Senior English is that even handing out papers can prove amusing.

We Move Ahead in . . .



Education . . .

Opportunities for learning are always available to Varina students, and each day they add a little more to their store of knowledge. Many modern facilities are at their disposal to help in this learning process. Teachers are able to acquire filmstrips, maps, records and reference books from the library to use along with customary textbooks. Of course the students are also able to go to this indispensable center of learning where each year many new books are added. Here they can do research to enlighten themselves on any subject imaginable or broaden themselves culturally.

Appearance . . .

To keep its reputation as a forward looking school that creates a better atmosphere for study, Varina has made many additions to her physical appearance. In contrast to the school year of 1962-63, the landscape now has grass, shrubs, and trees. In an effort to keep out the driving wind and rain, a shield has been put up on part of the walk.

Spirit . . .

Shouts of encouragement from the stands, or at a pep rally, and the driving determination to win a contest of physical or mental skill for Varina are in essence the expression of one thought — this being, "Varina is best and we'll keep her that way."







Achievements . . .

A goal toward which to work always makes things easier and Varinians often achieve their noble aims, whether in Forensics, sports, or classes. Here Mr. Hensley, assistant principal, passes out tie-tacs, symbols of the Varina-won football championship.















Administration and Faculty

Administration



Principal
MR. WILLIAM BLAINE GIBBS
Appalachian State Teachers College
University of Virginia, B.S., M.Ed.



Assistant Principal
MR. J. FRANK HENSLEY
Lincoln Memorial University, B.S.

An interested administration makes for cooperative students. A prime example of this can be found in the spacious administration building at Varina High School. The offices of Mr. Gibbs and Mr. Hensley, though forbidding to rule-breakers, often provide the important "O.K." for class and club projects. The student-body couldn't get along without secretary Mrs. Gaulding and Mrs. Snelson who ably handles the financial affairs of the school and its organizations. Miss Buccieri and Mr. Slone with the aid of Secretary Mrs. Yahley, make school-life easier by solving the scheduling and learning problems that arise.



GAULDING Secretary

MRS. LUCILLE



Guidance Counselor MR. CARL J. SLONE B.S. University of Richmond



Guidance Counselor
MISS CHRISTINE
BUCCIERI
A.B. Elizabethtown College
M.Ed., Temple University



MRS. PHYLLIS SNELSON Accountant



MRS. RUTH YAHLEY Secretary

Guides Student Body



Students feel certain that their problems will be promptly taken care of by Miss Buccieri and Secretary Mrs. Yahley.



A heavy schedule affords Mr. Gibbs little time for chats such as this one with his secretary Mrs. Gaulding.



Mrs. Gaulding and Mrs. Snelson are, as usual, hard at work but anxious to help when needed.



ABOVE: A frequent scene at Varina is Mr. Hensley on his way to or from one of his many duties.



LEFT: Ready to offer timely advice on classes or future college plans is Mr. Carl Slone who divides his day between guidance office and classroom.

Faculty Leads Students



MRS. SUE C. ALLARD B.S., Longwood Seventh



EDWARD G. ALTMAN B.A., U. of Richmond Band



MRS. MARY B.
BARLOW
B.S., Mary
Washington
Business
FBLA



Arriving for another day of teaching are Miss St. Clair and Mrs. Evenson.



MRS. GRACE
P. BURRUSS
B.A., Westhampton
Librarian
Library Club
Debate Club

Mesdames Ferguson, Burruss, Daniel, Barlow and Miss Buccieri study exam schedules for mid-semester.



MRS. HELEN F. CLAY B.S., V.P.I. M.S., V.P.I. Mechanical Drawing



MRS. SHIRLEY A.
DANIEL
B.S., Longwood
Phy. Ed., Health
Cheerleaders
Coach



to Higher Knowledge

BOBBY J. DIXON B.S., East Carolina Industrial Arts



MRS. DELLA S. DIXON B.S., East Carolina Seventh



Enjoying a lunch in one of Varina's spacious cafeterias are Mrs. Metts and Mrs. Hall.



D. THOMAS
DOUB
B.S., RandolphMacon
Algebra
Trigonometry
Coach
Key Club



Bryan York is busy working while Ray Lassiter receives instructions from Mrs. Whitt.

MRS. NANCY
G. EVENSON
B.S., Mary
Washington
Chemistry
Science



MRS. JULIA M. FERGUSON B.A., Hollins Math



MISS SUSAN B. FRENCH B.S., Roanoke Business Forensics

Various School Activities



MRS. JENNIE N. HALL Normal Professional Radford Seventh



A familiar scene about 8:30 each morning is teachers "climbing the hill" to open their homerooms by the time students arrive. Mrs. Barlow has just left the office and will begin the ascent.





MRS. MABEL B.
MARKS
B.S., Longwood
History, Geography
Social Studies
Red Cross
One Act Play







MRS. EMMA C.
MATHENY
History



As usual Coach Doub is willing to help a student with his math problems. Here the student is Wayne Newcombe.



Sponsored by Teachers

During an assembly on correct library behavior, Mrs. Hall was portrayed by her look-alike Cathy O'Connell.



ELLIOT R.

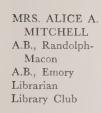
McGEORGE, JR.
B.S., M.S., U. of
Richmond
Health, Phy. Ed.
Athletic Director
Coach



MRS. ELIZABETH
M. METTS
A.A., Christian
B.A., U. of Kentucky
A.S., M.C.V.
Seventh



MRS. GRACE N.
MISTR
B.S., Longwood
Latin, English
Quill & Scroll





MISS MAUDE B.
MOTLEY
B.A., Westhampton
Government
History
Beta Club





MISS SHIRLEY NELSON B.S., V.P.I. Home Economics FHA



Mrs. Mansfield directs chorus in a presentation of Christmas music at a local church.

Teachers Are Guests at



MRS. CHARLOTTE W. O'BRIEN B.A., Madison English Paradox Senior Play



GARNETT R.
POINDEXTER, JR.
B.A., U. of Richmond
Math



MRS, MARY
E. PRATT
B.A., Wake
Forest
Spanish
Seventh

Mr. Quisenberry, Mr. Poindexter, Coach Doub, Coach Slone, and Mr. Altman listen to announcements made by Mr. Gibbs at a faculty meeting.





JESSE D.
QUISENBERRY
B.S., U. of
Richmond
Physics, Science
Safety Patrol
Coach



Students in Mrs. Dixon's 7th grade class are ready with quick responses to her questions.





WOODROW G. SANDERFORD B.S., R.P.I. Biology Coach



Home Economic Luncheons



CARL J. SLONE B.S., U. of Richmond Economics, History Coach



MRS. PRISCILLA N. SMITH
B.A., U. of South
Carolina
English, Art

MRS. MIRIAM H. SPENCE A.B., Meredith Algebra, Geometry Varinian



MISS MARY E. ST. CLAIR B.A., Westhampton M.A.T., Duke Seventh



MRS. FERN W. THOMPSON B.S., Madison English



MRS. META D. WEISS
B.A., Hunter
French



Depositing keys and making a final check of mailboxes are Mr. Quisenberry and Mrs. Ferguson just before leaving school at the end of the day.



MRS. CARO-LYN G. WHITT B.A., Marshall Business



School Service Workers



MRS. MARY B. MADISON School Nurse



Students such as Ronnie Burch greatly appreciate everpresent aid of school nurse, Mrs. Madison.



MRS. GLADYS CABELL Dietitian

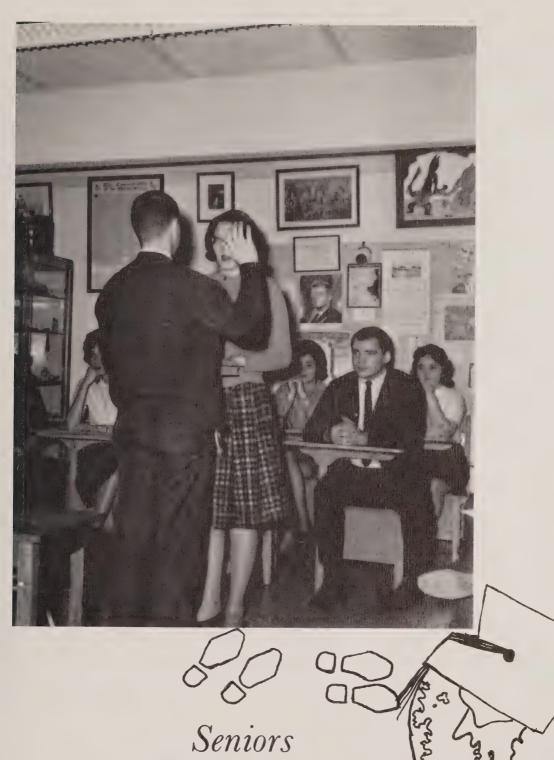


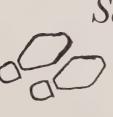
ABOVE: Mrs. Lillian Palmateer, Mrs. Gladys Cabell, Mrs. Lilly Wendell, Mrs. Frances Landrum, Mrs. Elizabeth Arewood, Mrs. Marion Nelson, Mrs. Evelyn Forloine.



Cafeteria workers and the school nurse prove indispensable. As they administer to our hunger-pains and bandage our cuts and bruises they fulfill a common need for service.

LEFT: Lull before lunch time rush gives cafeteria workers, Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Palmateer, a breather.









Class of '64 Finally



From Lett: Joyce Doeppe, Treasurer; Jeannie Walton, Historian; George Ann Davis, Secretary; Spud Mistr, President; Glenn Holder, Vice President; Ken Kambis, Parliamentarian.

At right are sponsors Miss Maude Motley, Mr. Carl Slone, and Mrs. Charlotte O'Brien.



One of the many note-worthy events for the seniors was the arrival of long-awaited Sr. pictures. Here Cheryl Pierce shows hers to Carol Allen.



All the things that go along with the coveted title of Senior began for the Class of '64 in the first week of school when Senior portraits were made. Later, at a Senior Class meeting, officers were elected and the students began their year doing things democratically and deciding their activities as a class. December marked the arrival of pictures and after exams and unforgettable term papers in January, the Seniors took a deserved rest at their an-

Gains Senior Status



JOHN LEWIS ALEXANDER

Johnny



CAROL ANN ALLEN Carol



SANDRA GAIL BELL Tinkerbell



JEAN KAREN BERLINGHOFF

Jean

nual banquet in February. This month was noted for its many events for it was then that announcements for graduation and cards were ordered and the Seniors participated in rehearsals for the class play "All Shook Up" which was presented under the direction of Mrs. O'Brien in March. At the end of their studies in June the class took a day off for a picnic to relax and enjoy themselves together for the last time as the Senior Class of Varina High School.



CHARLIE FOZEMAN BAKER
Buck

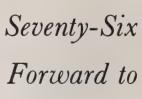


CAROL VIRGINIA BRATCHER Carol

VIRGINIA LEE BULHELLER Virginia



Ann





WILLIAM SEDDON CANFIELD, JR. Angus



GEORGE ANN DAVIS George



WILLIAM DANNY DELK Danny



JOYCE LYNN DOEPPE Joyce

Seniors Look Graduation



ROY EDWARD DOWDY Roy



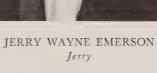
LOTTIE MARTHA DUDLEY Lottie



SUSAN AURELIA EUSTACE Susan



JAMES HURST EBERLY, JR. Jim





VERNELLE JEANNETTE DUDLEY Vernelle



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Banquet Highlights Are



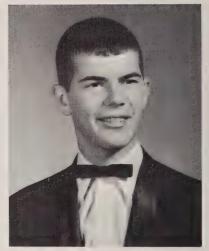
ELIZABETH MEADE FERGUSON Meade



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{DIANE LYNN FIDLER} \\ \textit{Diane} \end{array}$



ERNEST VANCE GILLEND Vance



CARY LEWIS FLIPPO
Buddy

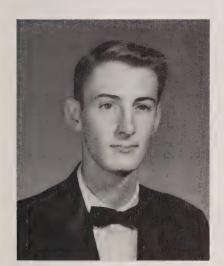


EUGENE AUSTIN GARRISON
Gene



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{ROBERT AUBREY GILLIAM} \\ & \textit{Aubrey} \end{array}$

Food and Fellowship



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{HENRY DEWEY GLEGHORN} \\ \text{\textit{Henry}} \end{array}$



JOSEPH TEMPLE GONTKOVIC Joe



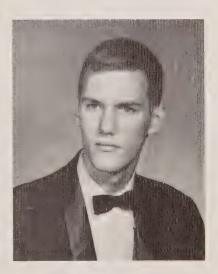
SADIE ANN GODSEY Ann



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{JUDY LEE GOODE} \\ \textit{Judy} \end{array}$



SANDRA LOUISE GRADY Sandy



DENNIS RAY GROOME

Dennis



BARBARA KATHLEEN GRUBBS
Barbara



WILLIAM LLOYD GRUBBS, JR. Billy



Defendants Cleared

Government Class

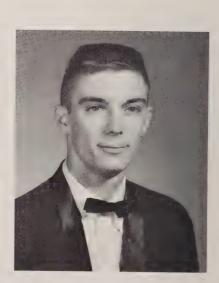
GEOFFREY MICHAEL HARTON Bird



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{MARY JANE HAZELWOOD} \\ \textit{Jane} \end{array}$



 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm KENNETH~GARY~HECHLER} \\ {\it Kenneth} \end{array}$



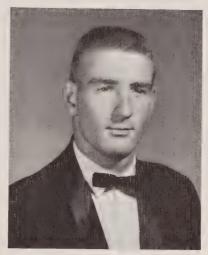
GLENN VERNON HOLDER Glenn

of Charges in Courtroom Dramas



JESSE HOLMAN, JR.

Jesse



THOMAS LENOX HOWELL Tommy



SHIRLEY FAYE JENKINS
Shirley



KENNETH WICKER KAMBIS Greek



FRANCES ANN JONES
Frances



GLORIA LOUISE KELLY

Gloria

Class Production For



EDITH IRENE KILGOUR Edith



SUSAN NANETTE LAMBERT
Susan



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{EARL WAYNE McLEMORE} \\ \textbf{\textit{Wayne}} \end{array}$



RAY WILLIAM LASSITER Ray



WILBER FRANKLIN MAIDEN
Frank



WILLIAM SHIRLEY MERRICKS ${\it Billy}$

Traditional Project Seniors



LOIS ANN MILES



WILLIAM GIBBS NORTHERN Bill



ALVIN SIMEON MISTR, JR. Spud



WAYNE ROWE NEWCOMBE Wayne



GARY WAYNE OBER

Gary



BARBARA ELLEN OLGERS
Barbara

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{WESLEY CRAIG ORMAND} \\ \textit{Craig} \end{array}$



PAULA ANTIONNETTE PIPES Paula

Day of Fun and Seniors at



WILLIAM HARRY PFLAUMER Bill



CHERYL HAYES PIERCE Cheryl



LYDIA LOCKETT POWERS II Lydia



ROGER DALE RENICK
Roger

Frolic Spent by Annual Picnic



CLARA JEAN SAYERS Clara Jean



DONALD ALEXANDER SHINN, JR. Donald



Sharon



DOUGLAS RANDOLPH SKINNER Doug



FREDERICK MACON SMALL Mack



LINDA LUCILLE SHINN Linda



SHARON ANNE STOENNER

Seniors Prepare for



KAREN BEVINS THOMPSON Karen



PATRICIA FAYE THROCKMORTON Patsy



JEAN MARIE WALTON

Jeannie



SUSAN PAIGE URBACH Susan



 $\begin{array}{c} \text{CAROL ANN MARY UZEL} \\ & \textit{Carol} \end{array}$

Different Phase of Life



BRENDA ANN WHITE Brenda



SANDRA LYNN WILLIAMS Sandy



RICHARD EDWIN WILSON

Dickie



 $\begin{array}{c} {\tt EUNICE~ELIZABETH~WYNNE}\\ {\tt Betty} \end{array}$



EUGENE EDWARD YANCEY, JR.

Gene

Seniors Elect Twelve

SEDDON CANFIELD

Makes a good student body president . . . football tri-captain . . . also active in track and baseball . . . on Miller & Rhoads Teen Board . . . chosen for Beta Club and Key Club.



JOYCE DOEPPE

Kept busy by Varsity Cheerleading . . . keeps Senior Class money matters in order . . . Beta Club member . . . next year will find her at Madison.

In keeping with the tradition of preceeding Senior classes, the members of the class of '64 have chosen those Seniors that they consider most outstanding. These students have grown academically, physically, and spiritually throughout their school life, thereby excelling in many fields, and in turn helping the school and its students to grow in like manner. Their example is an apt one for succeeding senior classes to follow for their contributions have helped to make Varina and her Senior Class of '64 what they are.



GEORGE ANN DAVIS

Models for Miller & Rhoads . . . Beta Club'er . . . well-liked by fellow students . . . keeps minutes for seniors . . . Girls' Stater . . . TR Staff.



MEADE FERGUSON

Varina's candidate for Miss Fire-fighter . . . found often in *True Relations* room . . . school correspondent for *News Leader* . . . active 4-H'er . . . headed for Greensboro College.

Outstanding Members



SADIE GODSEY

Here's a friendly gal who spends much of her time in the business department . . . a vigorous backer of school functions . . . Attractive addition to homecoming court.



KEN KAMBIS

Plans on college . . . very talented with the guitar . . . has a very handsome Greek profile . . . Football Tri-Captain . . . Remembered as Pierre to Seniors.





GLENN HOLDER

Great sportsman . . . a four letter-man . . . Also active in class activities . . . Vice-President of the Senior Class . . . college may be in the future.



SPUD MISTR

Being President of the Senior Class comes naturally to this easygoing boy . . . Active in 4-H work . . . Beta Club member . . . college is in near future . . . first string Varsity basketball . . . President of Key Club.



BILL PFLAUMER

Beta Club prexy . . . excellent student . . .

Paradox Editor . . . Key Club Member . . .

plans include college.



PATSY THROCKMORTON
Head Cheerleader . . . Secretary of SCA . . .
Homecoming Queen . . . Varina will miss
friendliness and school spirit . . . member of
Beta Club and Quill and Scroll.





LYDIA POWERS

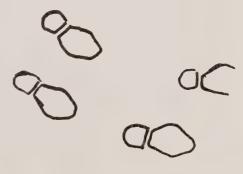
Plays basketball . . . worked hard as editor of the '64 Varinian . . . her future plans include Brigham Young University . . . usually around when a speech has to be made . . . also a member of Quill and Scroll and the Beta Club.



JEANNIE WALTON
This witty gal is also a great dramatist . . . assistant editor for *True Relations* . . . William & Mary definite for this fall . . . also member of Beta Club and Quill and Scroll.



Juniors



Juniors Anxiously Await



FROM LEFT: Reva White, Treasurer; Jackie Clark, Secretary; Argice Glenn, Historian; Randy Bottenfield, Vice President; Joe Meredith, President.



 \overline{ABOVE} : Sponsors are Miss Rebecca Reamy, Mrs. Carolyn Whitt, Mrs. Emma Matheny and Miss Susan French.

BELOW: In one of the Junior Class meetings, President Joe Meredith tells class of much committee work to be done in preparation for annual Junior-Senior.



the Arrival of Rings









Earl Acors Hillis Allen Pat Alvis Jane Amory

H. E. Ballowe Betty Barlow Tommy Barnes Claude Baughan









OI THE







Diane Blanco Randy Bottenfield Barbara Butler Betty Butler

Gloria Butler Suzanne Bynum Cheryl Carter Jackie Clark

















Dudley Collier John Conway Vivian Covitz Wayne Cox









Donny Crouch Gloria Dean Harry Dixon Anna Eberly



















John Finch Ronnie Fowler Brenda Frayser Betty French

Rita Fuller Larry Garton Tommy Garton Jimmy Geer

















Carolyn George Argice Glenn Brenda Gontkovic Gayle Gowen

Linwood Green Walter Green Joan Harlow Barbara Hicks

















Betty Hicks Billy Hicks Tommy Hines Jimmy Hodges

Gary Johns Wayne Kelly Junie Kirby Butch Lacy









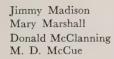








Barbara Leleux Susan Liles Gina Lipford Billy Lucado

















Jimmy McDonough Troy McLemore Joe Meredith J. C. Miller



















Kathy Murdoch Richard Nunnally Alan Osby Herbert Owen







Jerry Pinkleton Charles Powell



Nelda Pollard Judy Reams



During an assembly program in late fall these outstanding Juniors were honored by being tapped into the National Beta Club.

Lloyd Redford Tommy Redford Kathleen Robinson Wyvetta Roller

















Ranell Sanders Christine Saunders Steve Sawyer Jerry Schwartz

Russ Shaver Larry Sizemore Danny Snead Earl Snelson

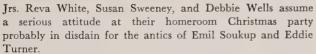






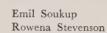
















Roy Sprouse Susan Sweeney









Steve Terry Eddie Turner Billy Wallo Rickey Wash

Arthur Weis Debby Wells Ernest West Reva White

















Billy Windle Eddie Winks Carolyn Woods Eddie Wright



One may be sure he'll see Junior faces shining at the different games in which Varina participates.

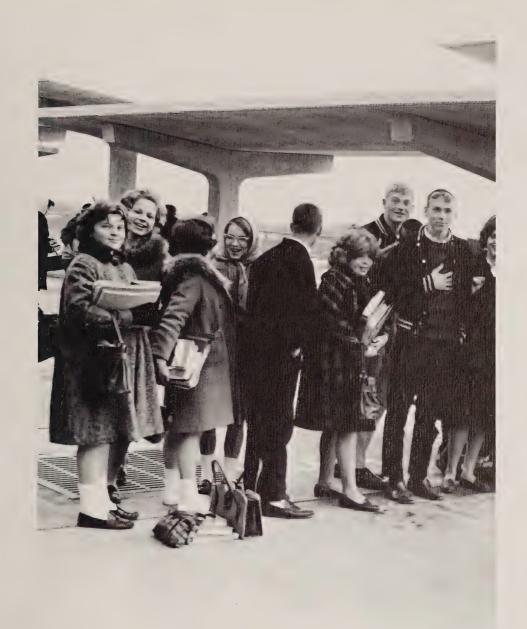


Charlotte Yancey



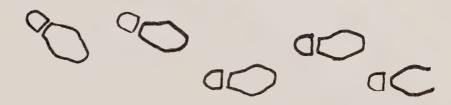


Bryan York John Zehler



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Underclassmen



Geometry Problems Are



James Adams Pat Allard Bill Anderson Eddie Ashworth Mike Babich

Pete Baker Elizabeth Ball Florence Barlow Billy Barnes Ashton Baskette

Edith Belvin Roy Blake Paula Bowen Jane Bowling Fred Brown



Ronnie Burch



Barbara Carroll Helen Carroll Elizabeth Chandler Roger Clark Gloria Clay

Christine Click Raymond Conkle Evelyn Covitz G. H. Davis Benny Doss



Sophomore Speciality











Barbara Estes
Bill Ferguson
Dennis Ford
Joy Fowler
Pat Fowler











Ashby Frayser Bobby Game Julie Garber Wayne Gathright Bubba Gillend

Peggy Goggin Vicki Graves Mary Lou Green









Tenth grade girls "work hard" during Driver Education class as they take their last year of P.E.









Sue Green Linda Grubbs

Mitchell Grubbs Betty Hall



Pat Harlow Beverly Henshaw Yvonne Higgins Grace Hines Linda Hines

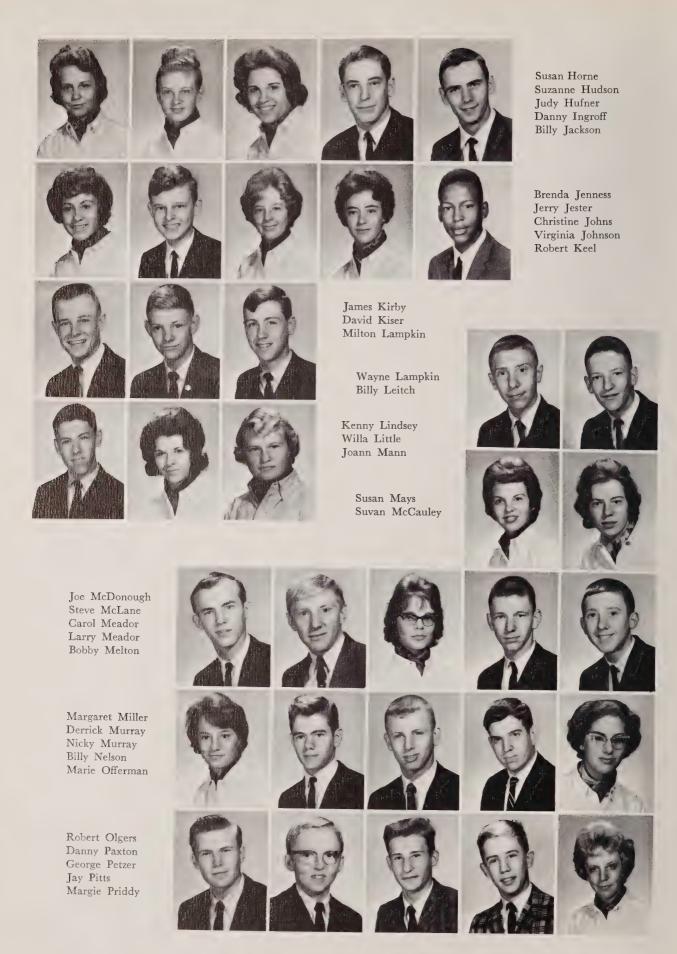














Roy Props Emmy Prosser Dallas Reed Alma Ritger Billy Rohrig

Martha Ross James Saunders Gayle Shirley Sonny Simpkins Kenny Skinner

Sandra Skipper Margaret Sneed Linda Sprouse Barbara Talley Douglas Taylor



Patricia Alvis, Mike Babich, and Libba Ball labor over proof problems in the system of mathematics new this year.

Kenny Weimer Muriel Whitlock Thomas Wilkerson





Mary Thomas Dennis Tibbs

Rose Wagner James Webb







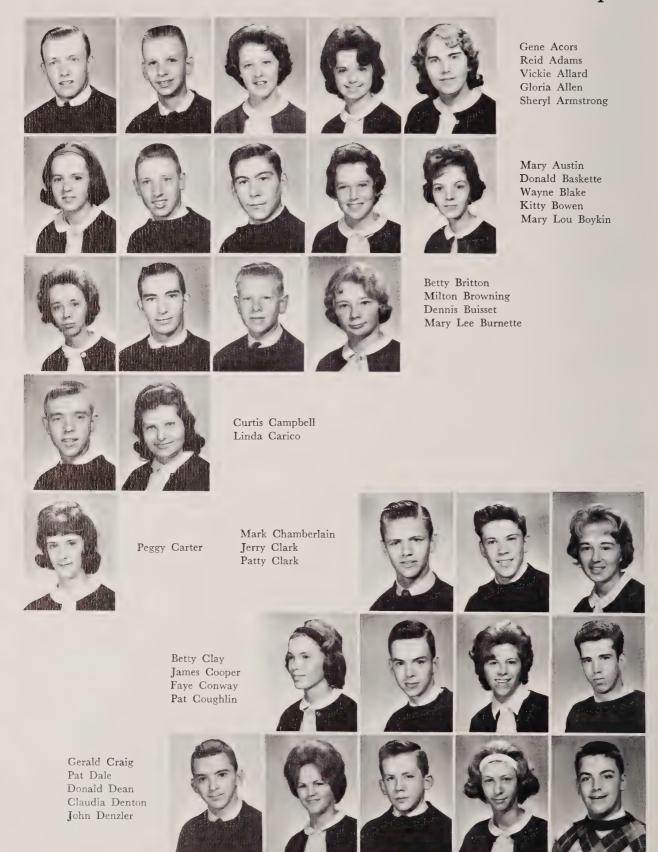




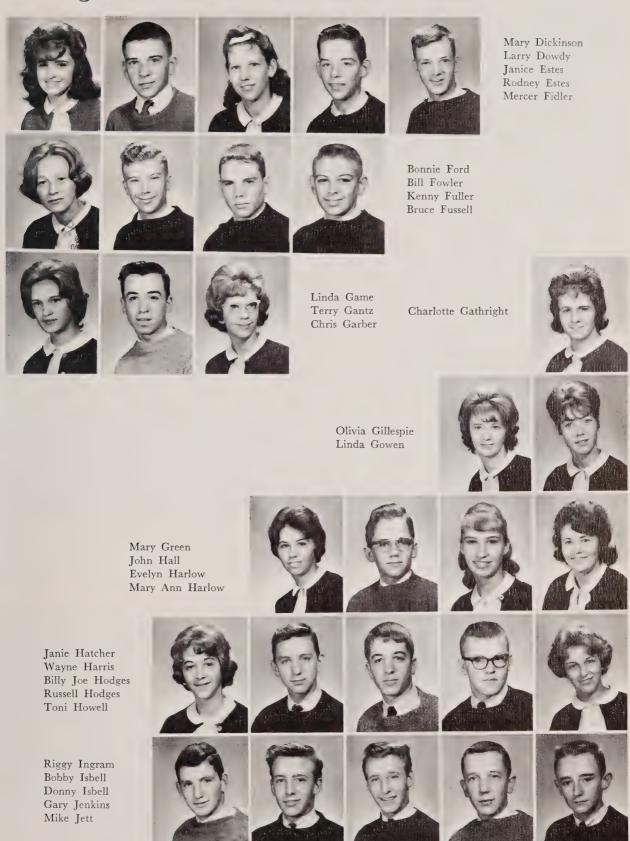


Billy Wilmoth Sheila Wiltshire Steve Winks Sharon Worley Jean Zehringer

Ninth Graders Step Into



Their High School Roles





Jean Johnson Randy Johnson Windle Johnson Oranna Jones Susan Jones

Gwen King Vicky Kramek Sam Krevonick Sally Lambert Gayle Landrum

Robert Lanning Richard Lehman Danny Leleux Chris Liles Sharon Lyon

Carolyn McDonough Donna McNamee Judy Mahanes Pat Malik Curtis Marshall



Mary Massey Dottie Matthews Betty Maye Billy Meade Debby Meade

Doris Miller Jo Ann Miller Mary Ann Moore Marshall Moss Helen Myers



Linda Nelson John Paul Sandra Poindexter Henry Ragland Pat Ragland

Walter Ritger Barbara Robinson Ronnie Rock Danny Salmon Herbert Sigmund





What's cooking! Miss Nelson, Mrs. Weiss and Mrs. Matthews seem to be enjoying a meal prepared by some ninth grade Home Economic Students.



Sam Krevonick and Gary Jenkins are deeply absorbed in their study of microbes.



Ann Sharpe Edna Earl Shiflet Suzanne Sochor Eddie Sparkman Ronnie Stanley

Ray Stevenson Greg Stoneman Alan Stults Sammy Sutton Wayne Taylor



Pat Wilkerson Robert Wolaver Johnny Wynne Becky York

David Zehler

Robert Thomas Sandra Vaughan Susan Vaughan Bryan Whitehurst Ray Wills



Johnny Zienius

Right: Mrs. Spence looks on approvingly as Roger Clark explains an algebraic equation to Kitty Bowen.



Ninth graders begin to pursue the field of foreign languages as they concentrate on the content of their Latin books.



In just a few minutes when the first bell of the day rings, these 9th grade homerooms in E building will not look forsaken as they appear here, but will become alive with math and English discussions.

Spirit High in 8th Grade

Vickie Adickes Brenda Allen Suzanne Allen Frank Amory Jackie Anderson

William Anderson Joel Ashworth Sharon Atkinson Linda Bagley Rennie Ball

Joyce Bandy Janice Barnes Roslyn Battle Mike Benedetti Donna Berlinghoff

Wayne Bottenfield Diane Bottoms Dorothy Braswell Frances Braswell Donald Brown





Junis Brown Peggy Brown Steven Brown Curtis Bryant Jerry Burch

Brenda Burton James Carroll Linda Chenault Beth Chezik Betty Childress

David Clark Linda Clark Sammy Clay Pat Cleary Linda Collier

Talmon Comer Jerry Cooper Cheryl Crouch Albert Cutright Cindy Davis

Ellen Davis Gloria Dawson Ronnie Dixon Patsy Doss Bobby Dowdy

Elaine Dowdy Joanne Dowdy Cheryl Eberhard Warner Eberly Victor Elliott





Curtis Estes
Nancy Felton
Pat Ferguson
Sunday Ferrell
Richard Flannagan

Leslie Foster Leslie Foster Larry Frayser Gary Gantz Geraldine Geer

Myrchas Glenn Terry Goode Eddie Gray Billy Green Brenda Groome

Regina Guard Sandra Harlow Ronald Harris Steve Harton Rita Halterman



Edward Henderson Betty Hines Mary Hines Jimmy Hodges Marsha Holder

Judy Horne Billy Hufner Mary Ellen Huxter Linda Ingroff Nancy Ingroff

Arlene Johnson Bobby Johnson Nancy Johnson Donald Jones Bernard Knight

Tony Kramek Ronnie Sue Lacy Rebecca Lampkin Jean Landrum Judy Lane

Denise Lent Janice Lewis Jerry Ligon Brenda Lindsey Ronald Logston

Lloyd Lotts Brenda McGhee Fred Mahone Joe Mann Trudy Marshall

Hinton Martin Linda Meador Susie Miller Loretta Monger Eddie Moore





Paul Moore Kerry Murphy Arlene Nelson Bobby Northern John Nuttall

Peggy Olgers Cheryl Ormand Joan Ormand Susan Parady Beverly Patterson

JoAnn Perry Patricia Peterson Michael Pinkleton William Pleasants Andy Pollard

Brenda Powell Tommy Powell Susan Prestipine Frank Proctor William Props

Nancy Prosser Teddy Prosser Edwin Ragland Harold Ratcliffe Bonnie Reams

Richard Roadcap Dale Roberts David Roller Ben Salmon James Seay

Laura Schwartz Betty Scott Chris Shaw Rose Silva Joan Sites



Jay Smith Priscilla Sprouse Jim Stoneman Joyce Stone Patsy Stuart

Sharon Sutton Carolyn Talley Ronnie Taylor John Teichert Douglas Terry

Sandra Trusty Jackie Turner Roy Waddell Patty Wagner Margaret Walton





Harold Webb Mary Wescott Burton White Eugene Wilkerson Helen Wilkerson

Brenda Wilkinson Roland Winston Gary Worley Pat Wray Rose Uzel

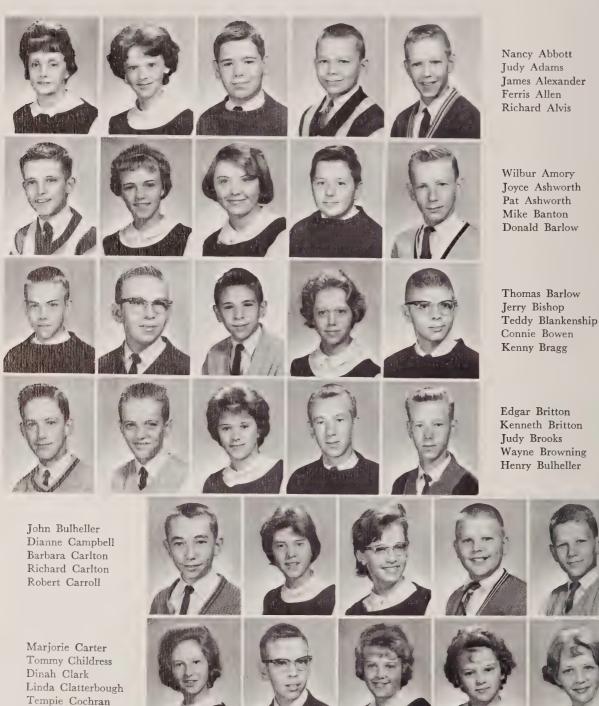
Cheryl Yancey





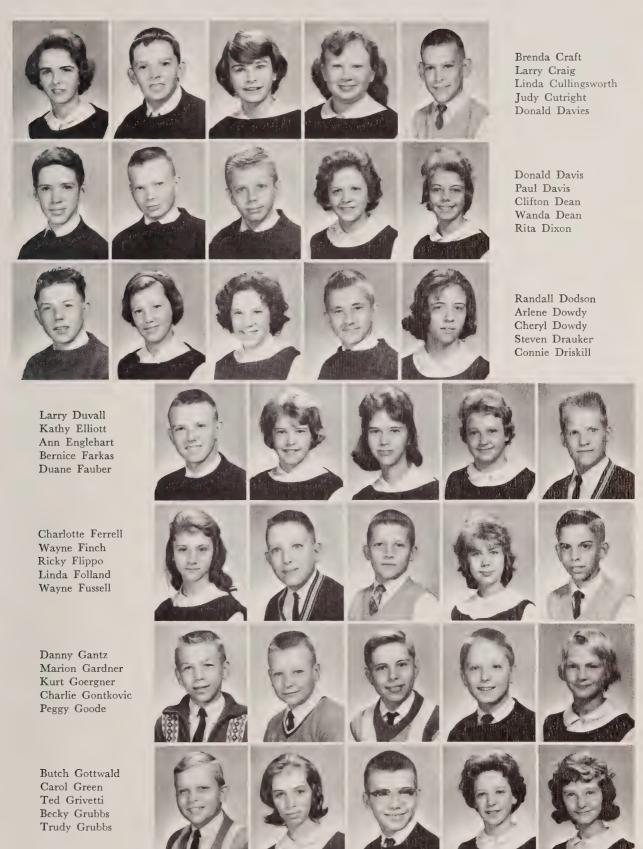
started last year.

Seventh Graders Enjoy



Janice Conkle Elizabeth Cooper Danny Coughlin Betty Courtney Eddie Courtney

Recess For The Last Year





Ronnie Hardin Brenda C. Harlow Brenda G. Harlow Dennis Harlow Glenn Harris

Ricky Hatcher Donald Henderson Ellis Henshaw Johnny Hicks Joyce Hines

Pat Hites Frankie Holmes Billy Howard David Jackson Barbara Jenkins

Christine Jenkins Dennis Johnson J. C. Johnson Judy Johnson Carolyn Jones

James Kane John Kerstetter Sylvia Kiser Robbie Ladd Brenda Lambeth

Jean Lane Larry Lawrence Jeannette Leamann Donald Lewis Brenda Lindsey

Kay Lucas Tim Lundie Edward McClary Richard McCormick Pat McGeorge





Bruce McNamee Roy Madison Sue Manahan Peggy Marshall Susan Massey

Robert Mathews Caroline Matthews Connie Meador Dave Meadows Freddie Melton

Charles Miller Linda Mills Pete Mistr Joseph Mitterer Jimmy Moore

Calvin Moran Frances Moran Patricia Moser Nancy Moss Sandra Mulligan

Dean Murdock Mike Ober Catherine O'Connell Jerry Olgers Harvey Overton

Patricia Patterson David Phillips Patsy Pipes Sharon Prillaman Danny Prosser

James Pruitt Susan Raettig Frank Reuss Jean Robinson Joan Robinson



Charles Samuels David Saunders Pat Shinn Arthur Skinner Roberta Skinner

Gail Smith Gary Smith Glenn Spain Betty J. Stone Gatewood Stoneman



Gail Tate
Doris Taylor
Phillip Taylor
Faye Throckmorton
Ronnie Vaughan

Kathy Wagner
Jo Ann Walsh
Carolyn Walton
Don Ward
Ronnie Webb

Donald West
Stanley White
Linda Wilcox
Dennis Williams

Ronnie Woods Wanda Wray Michael Wright Johnnie Yahley Susan Zehler

Pat Williams



Academics

Academics

Hypothesis Proven by Trial and Error

RIGHT: Mrs. Evenson and Jimmy Geer observe the experiment set up in chemistry class. Experiment to prove or disprove is the main objective of any chemistry student and pupils in this class find themselves deeply engrossed in experiments dealing with carbon, hydrogen and oxygen.



LEFT: It takes two, Debbie Meade and Frances Nelson, to do the delicate job of dissecting a crayfish. But with this experience comes the knowledge of how the different body systems function. The biology classes also work with earthworms and frogs.

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RIGHT: Physics is a course students look forward to as a challenge when they become Juniors or Seniors. Earl Snelson, Roy Dowdy and Jeff Harton find that experiments in physics help them to prove that their equations are in balance.

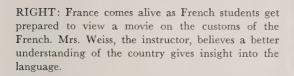


LEFT: Eugene Wilkerson with assistants Margaret Walton and Myrchas Glenn is able to really hear sound transmitted through a ruler. Many laws are learned in 8th grade science but no one believes until an actual experiment removes doubt.

Language Classes Challenge Students

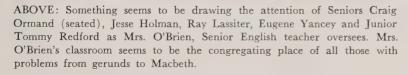


LEFT: Just before class begins, Lydia Powers studies her vocabulary words in Spanish just in case of a pop quiz. Joe Meredith and Barbara Grubbs seem quite confident that they are prepared.











ABOVE: Learning the art of public speaking takes practice and Earl Acors gets his experience as he gives a three minute prepared speech on "The American vs the National Football League."

Creative Arts Stimulate Talents



LEFT: Shop class is a popular subject of the eighth grade boys. Mr. Lawson is the instructor here who is willing to teach his eager students the tricks of carpentry. This woodworking class is one of many of the courses taught in industrial arts.

RIGHT: Help! Yes, help is always on hand in mechanical drawing class as students strive to help each other under the guidance of their teacher Mrs. Clay. They enjoyed using their ideas and knowledge of drawing in creating polyhedrons to use as decorations for Christmas.



ABOVE: Mr. Mosher looks on approvingly as Karen Thompson completes a mosaic. Mr. Mosher joined the Varina faculty at the beginning of the second semester taking over the positions of art teacher as well as English teacher. Varina is happy to welcome him to the staff.



ABOVE: Suzanne Bynum has her painting materials near by as she paints a still life picture. Brenda Gont-kovic seems to be in deep thought over her project.

Modern Math Poses Problem

BELOW: Eighth grade students are quite puzzled over the modern math placed before them this year. Mrs. Ferguson is supervising the work of some industrious students.





ABOVE: Trigonometry takes a great deal of concentration as Senior, Lois Miles can testify.

Business Dept. Is Active

RIGHT: "Let's see now, where is that W?" Students in Miss French's first year typing class are clanking away as they work on their lessor. Perfection is their goal in spacing, margins, etc. The typists are Diane Blanco, Donald Shinn, Joseph Gontkovic and Walden Maiden.



LEFT: Are these the future secretaries of tomorrow? Well, that's for the future to tell. As for now we have seniors musing over their office practice work. Those pictured above are Shirley Jenkins, George Ann Davis, Virginia Bulheller, and Carol Bratcher.

Exhibits Highlight History Study



RIGHT: A highlight of the World History display was this portrait, a fine example of the Egyptian era.

LEFT: As we round the corner of J building, an interesting display catches our eyes in the room next to Miss Motley's. Various eras in American history are portrayed by articles, contributed by Miss Motley, and the change of costume of a manikin. At one glance you can imagine yourself a part of that period.



LEFT: Mrs. Mark's World History class kept itself quite busy this year creating exhibits and displays concerning their studies. Their Egyptian display was open to all students and was a good example of the creative as well as artistic abilities of her pupils. Pictured here are Florence Barlow and Larry Baber who served as two of the guides to visiting students.



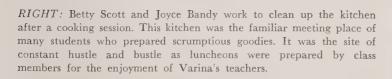
RIGHT: Obviously, Defense Attorney Gary Ober is unimpressed by the testimony of Plaintiff, Geoffrey Harton, now on the stand. This scene took place in a courtroom drama portrayed by senior civics students: Judge Bill Northern and Sheriff Jesse Holman look on as Clerk, Patsy Throckmorton records. The jury is seated behind Mr. Ober.



Home Ec Students Keep Busy



LEFT: It's nearing Christmas as Home Ec students make candles to light their homes for the season. Peggy Brown whips up wax as Rita Halterman cautiously holds the pan. This Christmas project was one of many that students participated in. All classes worked diligently completing gifts including yarn octopi and slippers.





LEFT: Miss Pratt tries to decide which tasty morsel to choose at the teacher's tea held at Christmas-time. A wide array of cookies and punch, all made by Home Ec students, were offered as refreshments. Several pupils served as hostesses.



Seventh Graders Begin Campus Life

LEFT: All is not work for the 7th graders as this picture well proves. Several energetic students are enjoying a lively game of football during their recess period.







ABOVE; This year the 7th graders have their own band conducted by Mr. Altman. At the Christmas assembly they displayed their talent by performing for Varina students a selection of Christmas numbers. They make a fine addition to our music department.

LEFT: "Merrily we sing along" chants the 7th grade chorus.

BELOW: Miss St. Clair's students listen intently as she conducts her class. This year 7th graders get their first taste of changing classes and seem to be quite enthused over it.



ABOVE: Mrs. Allard's class urges everyone to be sure they have a balanced diet. Kay Lucas, Bernice Farkas, and Ted Grivetti work on a bulletin board denoting the seven basic food groups. This is part of their study in health class.





Athletics

Varina's Football Team Wins



FIRST ROW: Jerry Emerson, Eugene Yancey, Ken Kambis, Glenn Holder, Seddon Canfield, Craig Ormand, Jimmy Eberly, Johnny Alexander. SECOND ROW: Dennis Ford — Mgr., Ed Wright, Earl Snelson, H. E. Ballowe, John Zehler, Ronnie Burch, Steve Evans, Bobby Eberly, Billy Mistr, Walter Green, John Mills — Mgr. THIRD ROW:

Coach McGeorge, Eddie Turner, Junie Kirby, Randy Bottenfield, Billy Lucado; Bobby Game, Tommy Fadely, Bradley Patterson, Jimmy Geer, Troy McLemore, Coach Doub. FOURTH ROW: Linwood Green, M. D. McCue, Steve Terry, Jimmy Saunders, Billy Windle, Billy Jackson, Eddie Ashworth, Bryan York.



Head Coach McGeorge and Coach Doub with the tri-captains of the Blue Devils. They are Ken Kambis, Glenn Holder, and Seddon Canfield.

Varina lost her first game of the season to Benedictine 13-0. The highlights of the game were Glenn Holder's 54 yard punt return and the defensive line play of Seniors, Seddon Canfield and Ken Kambis. The Cadets were inside the Varina 10 yard line five times but only scored twice.

The Varina Varsity Football Team climaxed their first season in the new Group I-B league by winning the championship. Although Coach McGeorge had teams that finished second four times, this was his first championship in fifteen years at Varina.

Our coaching staff: Coaches, Doub, McGeorge, Slone, Quisenberry and Sanderford.



First Group I-B Football Title

Varina won the second game of the season by 25-0 over Henrico. The running of Glenn Holder and Junie Kirby largely controlled the game. Holder scored 12 points on two touchdowns, while Kirby scored 13 points on two touchdowns and kicking a point after.

Varina's only district loss came at Patrick Henry. A blocked punt set up the only score of the game. Their extra point was stopped making the final score 6-0.

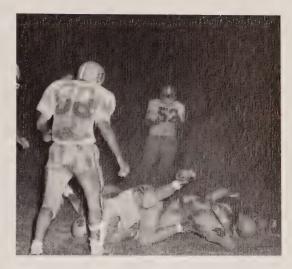
Varina lost to non-district Orange 20-13. Glenn Holder scored the first touchdown on a 60 yard pass play from John Zehler. Ed Wright scored on



Johnny Alexander throws a perfect tackle during the Homecoming game with Midlothian.

The Blue Devils then took a big step toward the championship when they defeated Tucker 19-0. Junie Kirby scored on a 50 yard pass play from Eddie Wright. Glenn Holder and H. E. Ballowe scored on hand-offs while Troy McLemore kicked the point after.

Varina then defeated the league-leaders Lee Davis 6-0. It was definitely a defensive battle played in a cold rain. Troy McLemore attempted a 15 yard field goal but it hit the crossbar and fell out of play. Junie Kirby made the only score of the game as he slanted 6 yards off tackle.



H. E. Ballowe (30) watches as Jimmy Saunders (60) tackles a Midlothian player.

a 3 yard quarterback sneak. Wright also scored the point after touchdown.

Varina then played Thomas Jefferson at Parker Field. The final score was 20-7 in favor of the opposition. Our only score came in the final period when Junie Kirby intercepted a pass and scored from 20 yards out. Eddie Wright scored the point after touchdown.

A homecoming crowd of 2000 people watched Varina trounce Midlothian 33-7. Touchdowns were scored by H. E. Ballowe, Walter Green, Junie Kirby (2), and Glenn Holder with extra points by Kirby (2) and Troy McLemore.

Billy Windle and Bobby Game watch as Glenn Holder and Craig Ormand make the tackle.



Blue Devils Place Three Players



Determined to win, Eddie Wright holds on to the ball.

Varina placed three players on the All-District team. They were Seddon Canfield, Earl Snelson, and Junie Kirby. Those making Honorable Mention were H. E. Ballowe, Johnny Zehler, Glen Holder, Billy Lucado, and Ken Kambis.

Varina also had three players on the All-Opponent Team. These were Earl Snelson, Junie Kirby, and Seddon Canfield. These players were chosen by their opponents while the All-District Team is picked by the Coaches.

	We	They
Benedictine	0	13
Henrico	25	0
Patrick Henry	0	6
Orange	13	20
Thomas Jefferson	7	20
Midlothian	33	7
Tucker	19	0
Lee-Davis	6	0
Meadowbrook	41	0
Matoaca	47	0

In the next to the last game of the season, Varina stomped Meadowbrook 41-0. Glenn Holder scored 3 touchdowns while Junie Kirby, Randy Bottenfield and Walter Green scored one each.

Varina ended the season and won the championship as they defeated Matoaca 47-0. Junie Kirby scored 3 touchdowns giving him a total of 59 points scored in this season. John Zehler, Craig Ormand, Glenn Holder and Walter Green all scored touchdowns. This raised Holder's point total for the year to 54. Troy McLemore kicked all the extra points in this game.



The team huddles around Coach McGeorge for strategic instructions.



All football teams in the Capital District, Group 1-B desire this Championship Trophy, a symbol of achievement.

on the All-Capital Team

Seniors . . .



Johnny Alexander Guard



Jerry Emerson End



Morris Moore End



Seddon Canfield Tackle Tri-Captain



Glenn Holder Halfback Tri-Captain



Craig Ormand Quarterback



Jimmy Eberly End

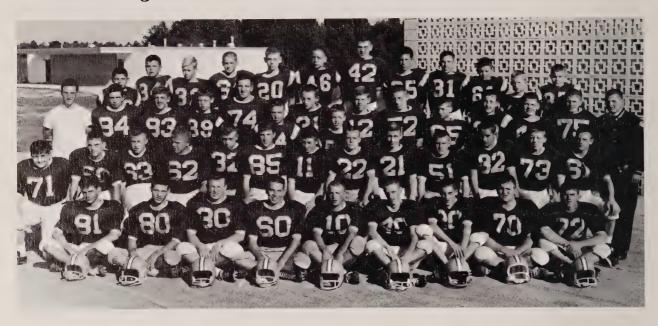


Ken Kambis Tackle Tri-Captain



Eugene Yancey Tackle

J.V.'s Finish with Even Season



FIRST ROW: Derrick Murray, Mike Babich, Gene Acors, Bill Ferguson, Ashby Frayser, Ashton Baskette, Danny Ingroff, Rodney Propps, Anthony Harlow. SECOND ROW: Joe Ashworth, John Denzler, Herbert Sigmund, G.H. Davis, Curtis Campbell, John Zienius, Chris Liles, James Kirby, Larry Meador, Russell Hodges, Charles Draucker, Bryan Whitehurst, Buster Carroll. THIRD ROW: Dennis Ford-

Mgr., Terry Eacho, Alan Stults, Jerry Ligon, Burton White, John Nuttall, Mike Jett, Ronnie Stanley, Jay Smith, Donald Baskette, Ray Wills, Jimmy Zienius, David Zehler, Chris Shaw, Billy Meade-Mgr. FOURTH ROW: Eddie Moore, Ronald Logston, Robert Thomas, Bobby Northen, Warner Eberly, Bobby Dowdy, Larry Dowdy, Mike Benedetti, John Wynne, Edwin Ragland, Larry Frayser, Terry Goode.

The Varina Junior Varsity Football Team finished the season with a 3-3 record. They had wins over J.R. Tucker, Meadowbrook, and Henrico while they lost to Patrick Henry, Lee Davis, and Midlothian. The tri-captains for this season were Bill Ferguson, Ashby Frayser, and Mike Babich. Gene Acors, a fullback, was the team's leading ground gainer. Rodney Propps, Buster Carrol, George Davis, Anthony Harlow,

Charles Draucker, and John Denzler provided strong line play, both offensively and defensively. Mike Babich, Bill Ferguson, Russell Hodges and Gene Acors gave the team outstanding line backers. Newcomers, John Zienius, Jay Smith, James Kirby, Derrick Murray and Herbert Sigmund gave the team good backing all the way.



Tri-Captains (from left) Bill Ferguson Ashby Frayser, and Mike Babich kneel by Coaches Sanderford, Slone, and Quisenberry.

J.V.'s FOOTBALL RECORD

	We	They
Patrick Henry	0	12
J.R. Tucker	13	0
Lee Davis	. 0	6
Meadowbrook	13	7
Henrico	7	0
Midlothian	0	13

Phys Ed Provides Release for Busy Students



LEFT: Phys. Ed. entails not only the physical sports one may participate in actively but classroom study as well. There is time for lectures, notetaking, and tests. Coach Elliot Mc-George, Athletic Director, finds one of the many classrooms in the gym the best place for this type of teaching.

RIGHT: Peggy Brown and Joanne Dowdy jump high for a ball just tossed by Mrs. Daniel. These girls get in good basketball practice in a scrimmage during phy. ed. class.





ABOVE: Football players Earl Snelson and H.E. Ballowe keep in shape by playing "indoor" football. The football players find the gym floor is not such a bad substitute for the football field during the winter months when it's impossible to practice outside.



ABOVE: Russell Hodges looks for someone to whom he can throw the ball, but it seems everyone is down the other end of the court.

BELOW: Volleyball is one of the sports the girls' phy. ed. classes enjoy. Elaine Dowdy makes a good serve in hopes of scoring a point for her team.



Varsity Cheerleaders

Even before the first pep rally was held the varsity cheerleaders were busy making posters, learning new cheers, and planning uniforms. On the final countdown September 3, they made last minute adjustments to their uniforms and led the school in "Two Bits," a cheer no student forgets.

With this same spirit they led an excited crowd in cheering the teams to a football championship and through an outstanding basketball season.

LEFT: Judy Hufner, Junior Varsity Captain; Mrs. Daniel, Sponsor; and Patsy Throckmorton, Varsity Captain.

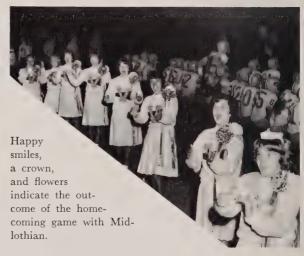




FRONT ROW: Carolyn George, Brenda Frayser, Patsy Throckmorton — Captain, Barbara Hicks; BACK ROW: Jackie Clark, Carol Bratcher, Joyce Doeppe, and Lois Miles.



Cheerleaders find a rare moment of relaxation before a pep rally.



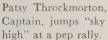
Spread Enthusiasm



Varsity cheerleaders, Barbara Hicks, Carolyn George, Patsy Throckmorton, Jackie Clark, Argice Glenn practice "Ch-ch-choo," a favorite of students.



Senior, Carol Bratcher. urges school to F-I-G-H-T!





Left: "We have the materials. Now we need you as our foundation," Captain Gary Ober tells students.



Joyce Doeppe, a senior awaits the grand entrance of the Blue Devils.



Below: Ribbons flying and arms high, cheerleaders incite enthusiasm in student body.





Full of pep, Lois Miles leads the crowd in a cheer for the Big Blue

J.V. Cheerleaders Boost



ABOVE: Tension and anxiety show the effect of a close game. RIGHT: "We've got the boys on our team, they're gr-r-reat!" say the cheerleaders when the team defeated Henrico.

When the Junior Varsity Cheerleaders were not cheering for boy's football or basketball, they were busy helping Varsity Cheerleaders with pep rallies or cheering the girl's basketball team. Their spirit was undaunted throughout the school, in classes, at pep rallies and on the sidewalks. One could even see their enthusiasm as they sold programs at the Varsity football games.





LEFT to RIGHT: Susan Mays, Sharon Worley, Judy Hufner — Captain, Libba Ball, Patty Clark, Becky York, Mary Ann Moore, Brenda Jenness.

Girls' Basketball Spirit



FIRST ROW: Patty Ragland, Susan Jones, Evelyn Covitz, Jean Harlow, Linda Hines. SECOND ROW: Virginia Bulheller — Mgr., Vickie Kramek, Linda Game, Sandra Moran, Margie Priddy, Gayle Landrum, Lydia Powers, Mary Bulheller, Argice Glenn, Frances Nelson, Linda Gowen, Vivian Covitz — Mgr.



Lady Blue Devil, Mary Bulheller, (5) springs with Highland Springs "Springers" to capture a rebound off the board.

we		the
23	Tucker	17
15	Henrico	37
11	Douglas Freeman	31
15	Highland Springs	29
21	Hermitage	19
28	Tucker	27
28	Henrico	39
9	Douglas Freeman	43
16	Highland Springs	20
23	Hermitage	40

This year will become an outstanding memory for the Lady Devils. For the first season in three years they downed some of the area competition and came out on top in several of the games giving themselves a 3-7 record.

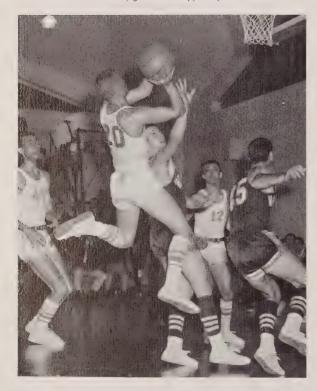


Coach Shirley Daniel and Captain Lydia Powers.

Blue Devils Defeat



KNEELING: Captain Gary Ober, Coach Carl Slone. STANDING: Jesse Holman, Eddie Wright, Spud Mistr, Ronnie Fowler, Jeff Harton, Richard Nunnally, Jimmy Hodges, Glenn Holder, Junie Kirby, Billy Windle. NOT PICTURED: Joe Meredith.



Eddie Wright (20) drives as Gary Ober (40) and Glenn Holder (12) watch action against Henrico's Kenny Foster (45).

Varina began the 1963-64 basketball season with a 51-43 win over West Point and a 64-45 loss to Collegiate. In the third game of the year the Blue Devils lost a close 54-47 game to Henrico. This was their first league game.

Team shows happiness after defeating Tucker 54-45.



League-Leading Tucker



Jesse Holman drives in for lay-up against Tucker's Buddy Childress and Mike Murphy. Eddie Wright watches play from foul line.

were the balanced scoring of Jeff Harton (13) and Jesse Holman (12). The Blue Devils then won two more games. The first was a 76-56 win over Midlothian and the second one was a 60-56 win over non-district West Point. Varina then lost to Henrico again 60-45. The highlights of this game were the scoring of Gary Ober (17) and Eddie Wright (9). In the next



Jeff Harton (on left) and Spud Mistr tie up Tucker's Dan Collawn (50) while Paul Carlson (34) makes the long reach.

In the last two games before the Christmas break, Varina easily defeated Matoaca 74-38 and then lost to Meadowbrook 67-63. Varina then defeated Patrick Henry 41-39 with the scoring of Gary Ober (14), Jesse Holman (8), and the rebounding of Ober and Jeff Harton. The Big Blue then lost a tight game by one point to Collegiate 44-43. Varina won the next game with Lee-Davis 41-37. The highlights of this game



Coach Doub and Coach Slone watch intensely as Blue Devils warm up.

Eddie Wright sinks a foul shot against Henrico as Blue Devils Holder, Hodges and Kirby watch.



Seniors Complete Last Season



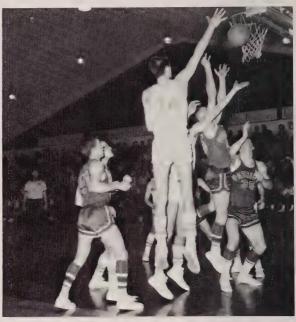
Ralph Johnson (35) of Patrick Henry and Russ Palmore steal rebound from Gary Ober (on left) and Jeff Harton.

game the Blue Devils defeated Patrick Henry for the second time 48-42. In the most important game of the season, the Blue Devils defeated the Tucker Tigers 54-45. In this game Jeff Harton (17), Gary Ober (13), and Jesse Holman (11) were the leading scorers while Ober and Harton combined for over thirty rebounds. In the next game the Blue Devils lost 55-51 to a much



Captain Gary Ober leads Blue Devils through warm-up paces at Meadowbrook.

improved Lee-Davis team. Varina then lost a dissappointing 64-62 game to Meadowbrook. This was their second loss to the Monarchs in this season. Varina then soundly defeated Midlothian for the second time 72-64. The Blue Devils placed three players in double figures. They were Harton (21), Ober (13) and Mistr (12). This brought their record to 7-5 in district play.



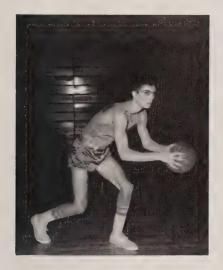
Jeff Harton goes high in the air for a rebound against Patrick Henry.

VARSITY BASKETBALL RECORD

	We	They
West Point	51	43
Collegiate	45	64
Henrico	47	54
Matoaca	74	38
Meadowbrook	63	67
Patrick Henry	41	39
Collegiate	43	44
Lee-Davis	41	37
Midlothian	76	56
West Point	60	56
Henrico	45	60
Patrick Henry	48	42
J. R. Tucker	54	45
Lee-Davis	51	55
Meadowbrook	62	64
Midlothian	72	64
Matoaca		
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J. R. Tucker

of High School Competition



Glenn Holder Guard



Jesse Holman Guard



Gary Ober Center Captain



Spud Mistr Forward



Jeff Harton Forward

Junior Varsity Encounters



FIRST ROW: Gary Jenkins, Billy Hodges, Chris Liles, Russell Hodges, Ashby Frayser; BACK ROW: Coach Tommy Doub, John Zienius, Pat Coughlin, Gene Acors, Ashton Baskette, Kenny Fuller; NOT PICTURED: Bobby Game, and Larry Dowdy.

Captain Bill Ferguson and Coach Thomas Doub.

The little Blue Devils completed a tough but fairly successful season in fourteen league contests and four out-of-league. The team consisted of nine freshmen and four sophomores with a usual starting roster of Russell Hodges, Billy Hodges, Pat Coughlin, Bobby Game, John Zienius, Chris Liles, Gary Jenkins, and Bill Ferguson, captain of the team. One of the highlights of the season was the come-back game with Henrico after having been downed by them once before on their home court. With two minutes to go in the last quarter, and a score of 28-26, Henrico's favor, Billy Hodges made two points tieing the score up. Then stealing the ball, he sank two more giving the Devils a final winning score of 30-28.

J.V. BASKETBALL RECORD

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	We	They
*West Point	53	23
*Fairfield	33	37
Henrico	24	36
Matoaca	32	20
Meadowbrook	33	38
Patrick Henry	25	38
*Collegiate	21	39
Lee-Davis	41	36
Midlothian	24	27
*West Point	53	21
Henrico	30	28
Patrick Henry	47	48
J. R. Tucker	40	51
Lee-Davis	32	47
Meadowbrook	40	26
Midlothian	12	64
Matoaca		01
J. R. Tucker		

* Non-District games

Difficult Season



Baskette shoots for two as Ferguson and Game move in for possible rebound and B. Hodges moves in defensive position.



Zienius drives for shot while B. Hodges and Coughlin look on.



Coach Doub gives instructions to first team during short time-out.



Players Liles, Jenkins, Ferguson, Baskette and Dowdy get a good workout at pre game warm-up.



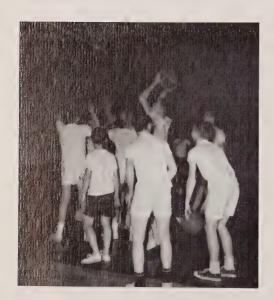
Ferguson is fouled in the process of shooting.

8th Graders Are Unofficial Champs



FIRST ROW: Terry Goode, Larry Frayser. SECOND ROW: Bobby Northern, Talmon Comer, Warner Eberly, Bruce McNamee, Mike Wright, Mike Ober. THIRD ROW:

Jerry Ligon, Jay Smith, Eddie Gray, Pete Mistr, Burton White, James Carroll, Steve Harton, Danny Coughlin, Jimmy Zienius, Coach Woody Sanderford.



No time like the present to get in some good hard shooting practice.

8TH GRADE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Fairfield Henrico
Tucker Meadowbrook
Midlothian Midlothian
Patrick Henry Henrico
Fairfield

Eighth graders put in plenty of practice time. Every afternoon after school you could find them scurrying over to the gym to get dressed and ready for work. Most of their games were played on Saturdays. The team had a good season losing only three games, two to Fairfield and one to Henrico. James Carroll, their chief rebounder and high scorer, has proved to be an invaluable asset to the team. They became champs of the Capital District and played Manchester vieing for the two county titles. With so many victories this season we have great hopes for the best J.V. team in the district next year.

Varsity Baseball



Varsity Baseball players are: FIRST ROW: Elmo Mann, Gene Cless, Ben Williams, Frankie Jenness, Norman Aigner, Spud Mistr, Glenn Holder. SECOND ROW: Terry Gantz, Jerry Schwartz, Junie Kirby, Johnny Alexander,

Joe Gontkovic, Johnny Zehler, Coach E. R. McGeorge, Earl Acors, Billy Windle, Eddie Wright, Troy McLemore, and Ronnie Rock.



3:15 p.m. finds Coach Woody Sanderford, Varsity Baseball Coach, packing his papers and gradebook and heading for the field house where he works with the boys who go out for baseball.

VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

	* * * * *		
April	3	Meadowbrook	Home
	7	Matoaca	Home
	10	Tucker	Away
	14	Midlothian	Away
	17	Patrick Henry	Home
	21	Henrico	Away
	24	Lee-Davis	Home
	28	Meadowbrook	Away
May	1	Matoaca	Away
	5	Tucker	Home
	8	Midlothian	Home
	12	Patrick Henry	Away
	15	Henrico	Home
	19	Lee-Davis	Away

Junior Varsity Baseball





ROW: Tommy Redford, Bob Melton, Bobby Eberly, David Zehler, Lloyd Redford, Gary Jenkins, Wayne Gathright, Mark Chamberlain, Milton Lampkin, Russel Hodges. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Zienius, Billy Mistr, Charles Draucker, Emil Soukup, Gary Johns, Benny Doss, Johnny Zienius, Gene Acors, Arnold Eberly, and Herbert Sigmund.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April	10	Tucker	Away
	14	Lee-Davis	Home
	17	Patrick Henry	Away
	21	Tucker	Home
	24	Lee-Davis	Away
	28	Patrick Henry	Home
May	1	Patrick Henry	Home
	5	Lee-Davis	Home
	8	Lee-Davis	Away
	12	Patrick Henry	Away

Carl J. Slone Junior Varsity Baseball Coach

Varsity Track



Varsity track members are Ed Bulheller, Norman Aigner, Steve Winks, Ashton Baskette, Stephen Evans, Bobby Game, Bill Northen, Jeff Harton, Johnny Bowling, Seddon Canfield. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Geer, H. E. Ballowe, Randy Bottenfield, Eugene Yancey, James Kirby, James Saunders,

Ken Kambis, Billy Evans, Glenn Holder, Robert Hodges, Bobby Crouch. THIRD ROW: Delmore Morris, J. C. Miller, Jerry Pinkleton, Riggie Ingram, Tommy Fadely, Bill Ferguson, Bradley Patterson, Chip Alvis, and Walter



D. Thomas Doub Varsity Track Coach

VARSITY TRACK **SCHEDULE**

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April	1	Tucl	ĸer

- 4 St. Christophers
- 8 Midlothian
- Patrick Henry 15
- 22 Benedictine
- 24 Meadowbrook
- 29 Lee-Davis

2 District Meet May

- St. Christophers 6
- 13 Henrico
- State I-B V.M.I. 16



Students get together for first track meeting.

Junior Varsity Track



Eddie Turner, Riggie Ingram, Larry Meador, James Kirby, Stephen Evans, James Saunders, Steve Winks, Ashton Baskette, Bill Ferguson, Bobby Game, H. E. Ballowe. SECOND ROW: Dennis Tibbs, James Gillend, Delmore Morris, Randy Bottenfield, J. C. Miller, Jim Geer, Bradley Patter-

son, Billy Barnes, Milton Browning, Steve Terry, Jerry Pinkleton, Walter Green. *THIRD ROW:* Ronald Stanley, Bryan York, John Paul, Reid Adams, Michael Babich, James Cooper, Butch Lacy, Gene Acors, Dennis Ford, Jay Pitts, Billy Leitch, Ray Wills.



Coach Jesse Quisenberry, as well as many of the other coaches, divides his time between classroom teaching and coaching sports. This year he is Junior Varsity Track Coach.

JUNIOR VARSITY TRACK

April	2	Patrick Henry	, Away
	9	Henrico	Home
	16	Lee-Davis	Home
	23	Collegiate	Away
	28	Brookland	Home
	30	Tucker	Home
May	5	St. Christopher	Away
	14	Fairfield	Home



Features







Queen and Princesses





BELOW: Patsy Throckmorton smiles radiantly as Principal W. B. Gibbs crowns her Homecoming Queen of 1964.

Queen Patsy Throckmorton

The dream of every girl's heart became a reality to Patsy Throckmorton in October, as she became our Homecoming Queen for 1963-64. She was selected by the varsity football players on the basis of her outstanding school spirit, leadership, and personality, topping all competition from senior cheerleaders, senior majorettes and princesses.



Reign Over Homecoming



George Ann Davis

Princesses



Meade Ferguson



Diane Fidler





Edith Kilgour



Vernelle Dudley

Susan Lambert



Lydia Powers



Clara Jean Sayers



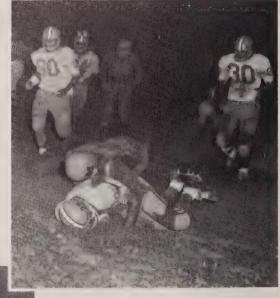
Betty Wynne



Above: Hopeful princesses Meade, Vernelle, Edith, Susan, and Sadie, await the big moment.



Above: Lydia smilingly greets crowd at half-time.



Above: Saunders, Ballowe to Kirby's Rescue!



Left: Obviously the Devils attribute part of their success to an excellent coaching staff and they show their appreciation by victoriously carrying the coaches off the field.



LEFT: Urging Devils onward are Sharon Stoenner, Susan Urbach, and Barbara Grubbs in this part of the 1st prize winning skit rendered by Coach Slone's and Mrs. O'Brien's homerooms.

BELOW RIGHT: What at first glance appears to be Craig Ormand rolling a Trojan down the field, is in actuality a successful tackle made by Earl Snelson who watches from a horizontal position.



ABOVE: Demonstrating the right to her title Patsy hops down off her pedestal immediately after having been crowned 1963 Homecoming Queen to show her spirit by cheering the team on to victory.

BELOW: Homecoming half-time festivities begin as majorettes lead the band onto the field.

October 18, 1963 was the date for the traditional Homecoming game and Varina welcomed her alumni with characteristic spirit and one of the most gala half-time festivity shows ever. Half-time was highlighted by the crowning of Miss Patricia Throckmorton as 1963-64 Homecoming Queen. Students nor alumni were disappointed by the final score as Devils floated over Midlothian's Trojans for a 37-0 victory.



Traditional Activities Prove



Each year in February the senior students and sponsors begin to think about the senior play. After the first days of trying out and deciding upon the parts, comes the hectic days of practicing, arranging scenery and costume finding. But finally the big night arrives and all the hard work proves worthwhile. This year's production of "All Shook Up" was about a young girl from a turkey farm who comes to college and gets in with the beatnik clan. Her misadventures prove hilarious.

All of the seniors look forward to the time when they are fitted for their caps and gowns bringing the reality of graduation closer. Johnny Alexander gets measured for his cap as Ann Burks and Dennis Goome wait their turn.





Another routine, but significant task for the seniors is the ordering of their graduation invitations and cards. This also makes them realize their senior year will soon be over. Tommy Howell and Diane Fidler try to make a decision on style of print for their cards.

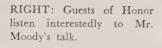


Exciting for Seniors

Senior Banquet



ABOVE: Mr. George Moody, Superintendent of Henrico County Schools, was the guest speaker at the Senior Banquet. In the picture above he is adjusting the slide projector with which he will show pictures that go along with his talk, "Education in Switzerland."





ABOVE: Sharon Stoenner, Newspaper editor, announces the Who's-Who of the Senior Class of 1964.



This year the Senior Banquet was held at Nick's House of Steaks. The guest speaker was Mr. George Moody, Superintendent of Schools. Also attending the Banquet were: Mr. Cashell Donahoe, Assistant Superintendent of Schools; Mr. Jack Ferguson, School Board Representative from Varina: several Senior teachers and their wives and husbands, and office personnel. Preparation for the event entailed a lot of work on the part of Senior officers and sponsors but the result was an evening enjoyed by all.



ABOVE: Meade Ferguson, Miss Motley and Mr. Jack Ferguson, Varina's School Board Representative, leave after a very enjoyable evening.

RIGHT: These Seniors and their dates enjoy steak or seafood dinners, the main attraction of the Banquet.



Girls' — Boys' Staters Anticipate Convention



Randy Bottenfield, Joe Meredith, Argice Glenn, Barbara Hicks and Billy Windle will represent Varina this summer at Girls' and Boys' State. These students are sponsored by the American Legion Post 233, the American Legion Auxiliary, Varina Ruritan, Richmond Heights Ruritan and the Raymond E. Maxis American Legion.

This summer the two Varina Girls' State representatives will travel to Radford and the three Varina Boys' State representatives to William and Mary where they will learn ways one can be a good citizen. They take part in a mock government in which they hold campaigns and rallies, elect officials, and hear speeches from important political figures. After returning to school in the fall these five students will tell during assembly, of the experiences they had and upon hearing these speeches one will know this was a very exciting and enlightening week for them.

Central All State Chorus and Band



Members of the chorus work hard during the year in hopes of being chosen to represent Varina in All State Chorus. Karen Thompson (not pictured) — 1st soprano, Edith Belvin — 2nd soprano, Craig Ormand — 2nd tenor, and Jerry Schwartz — baritone made the Choir and Pat Ferguson — alto, Ronnie Sue Lacy — alto, and Patty Wagner — soprano were chosen to sing in the Eighth and Ninth Grade Chorus. Mrs. Mansfield, director of the school chorus, accompanied these students to RPI on February 14-16 where they practiced for two days and performed their concert for the public on Sunday.



Varina was represented by six this year in the All State Band. Roy K. Props was the only one to make the Concert Band. He displayed his talent by playing the tuba. Nancy Johnson, Jackie Turner, Betty Childress and Herbert Owen, all playing the clarinet, and Donald Dean on the trumpet were selected to play in the Workshop Band. At J. R. Tucker High School, the first weekend in February, they met and practiced with other Central All Staters and gave their public performance on Sunday, February 2.

Varina Represented at Area Department Stores



GEORGE ANN DAVIS

Miller & Rhoads



RITA FULLER
Thalhimers



SEDDON CANFIELD
Miller & Rhoads

Each year students from all area schools are chosen by some of the larger department stores for modeling. This year Varina's representatives were Rita Fuller from the Thalhimers' Deb Council, and George Ann Davis and Seddon Canfield from the Miller & Rhoads Teen Board. Each maintains good grades and is chosen because of his poise and charm. Although their main function is that of showing off the latest teen fashions, they are offered many opportunities to improve and broaden themselves. Through their association with other teens from other schools, their work in the store as models, and their participation in storecommunity projects such as the annual Miller & Rhoads Santa Train, they are able to meet many new people from all over the city. In addition to this they learn coordination and gain valuable experience in facing the public.

Forensics Broaden Our Minds



Joy Fowler, Linda Ellis and Emil Soukup read parts in tryouts for the one act play.

The Debate Team is a newly formed club this year. Its subject has been Socialized Medicine. The debaters have had to spend extra time getting material and preparing for their debate, but they have all found it very educational and profitable. Led by Mrs. Burruss the Debate Team has become an outstanding organization. Each year they compete with other schools which have been preparing themselves in the same subject.

Each year every school prepares a one act play to be presented in competition at an area school. There they are rated as superior, good, etc. Any play that receives a superior rating then goes to Charlottesville for higher competition.

Also each year representatives from Varina go to area schools to compete in Public Speaking, Poetry, Prose, and Spelling.

One Act Play

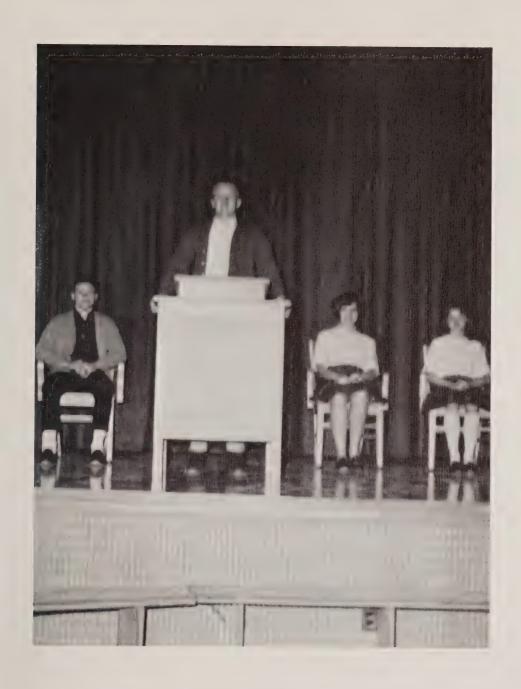
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Debate Team



FIRST ROW: Jimmy Hodges, Bill Northern, Craig Ormand, Buddy Flippo, Danny Delk, Spud Mistr. SECOND ROW: Ken Weimer, Betty Hall, Ken

Lindsey, Wayne Gathright, Suzanne Bynum, Lydia Powers, Mrs. Burruss, Anna Eberly, Jeanne Walton, Sandy Williams.



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Organizations







Carefully Prepared SCA



Patsy Throckmorton, Secretary; Seddon Canfield, President; Billy Windle, Vice-President; Barbara Hicks, Treasurer.



Mr. Frank Hensley Sponsor

money for the school, build up school spirit, and them were the Homecoming game and festivities, set an example for other students to follow. Each Christmas baskets, and all of our school assemblies.

The Student Cooperative Association is the govern- year new officers are elected and homeroom repreing body and leads the activities of the students, sentatives are chosen from all the homerooms. This Various committees comprised of students make year the S.C.A. sponsored many projects. Some of



FIRST ROW: Billy Windle, Seddon Canfield, Lydia Powers, Sandy Williams, Jeanne Walton, Glenn Holder, Patsy Throckmorton, Libba Ball, Susan Vaughn, Muriel Whitlock, George Ann Davis. SECOND ROW: Patsy Doss, Brenda Groome, Jackie Clark, Kenny Fuller, Bill Northen, Suzanne Bynum, Reva White, Jesse Holman, Wayne Blake. THIRD ROW: Sue

Monahan, Gail Smith, Gayle Landrum, Patty Clark, Richard Nunnally, David Zehler, Mary Bulheller, Rennie Ball, Jackie Turner, Linda Ellis, Carolyn Walton. FOURTH ROW: Jimmy Finch, Thomas Barlow, Mary Duke Enroughty, Susan Mays, Joyce Hines, Joan Ormand.

Assemblies Prove Beneficial



ABOVE: S.C.A. Money-making Committee Heads, Susan Vaughn and Linda Ellis, wait on students at the book store.

RIGHT: At various times during the year ministers from the neighboring churches came to speak to us. Among those who brought us messages were Dr. Landrum (pictured), Rev. Hall, and Rev. Eddleton.

BELOW: Mrs. Frank Aigner, the Christmas Mother's helper, expresses her appreciation to the student body for the Christmas baskets which each homeroom put together.





Presenting NOMA Spelling Awards to those students who made a perfect score on the NOMA Spelling Test is Sandy Williams, president of the F.B.L.A.





These students show us the wrong way to use the library. It is a scene from the skit given by the Library Committee.

F.H.A. Selects Queen



FIRST ROW: Judy Horne, Joyce Stone, Gayle Shirley, Rennie Ball, Susan Vaughn, Vernelle Dudley, Charlotte Henshaw, Ann Sharpe, Vickie Kramek, Rose Uzel, Susie Miller, Loretta Monger, Vivian Covitz. SECOND ROW: Rebecca Lampkin, Geraldine Geer, Elaine Dowdy, Arlene Johnson, Ellen Davis, Carol Meador, Margaret Snead, Vickie Adickes, Regina Guard, Mary Austin, Judy Lane, Kitty Bowen, Sandra Trusty, Pat Ferguson, Sandra Grady. THIRD ROW: Mary Green, Denise Lent, Rose Silva, Beverly Henshaw, Betty Scott, Cheryl Eberhard, Susan Estes, Linda Collier, Nancy Ingroff, Betty Britton, Mary

Dickinson, Linda Clark, Peggy Brown, Sharon Sutton. FOURTH ROW: Jean Zehringer, Charlotte Yancey, Jean Johnson, Wyvetta Roller, Laura Schwartz, Cindy Davis, Dorothy Braswell, Linda Ingroff, Joan Sites, Patricia Cleary, Cheryl Yancey, Brenda Burton, Trudy Marshall, Jackie Turner, Betty Childress, Patsy Stuart, Priscilla Sprouse. FIFTH ROW: Christine Click, Paula Bowen, Barbara Carroll, Sandy Williams, Edith Kilgore, Beverly Patterson, Sharon Lyon, Suzanne Sochor, Jean Berlinghoff, Barbara Grubbs, Linda Ellis, Sharon Atkinson, Betty French, Jean Landrum, Suvan McCauley, Diane Fidler.



FIRST ROW: Betty French, Treasurer; Susan Vaughn, Secretary; Gayle Shirley, Vice President; Charlotte Henshaw, President; Vernelle Dudley, Secretary; Pat Ragland, Historian. SECOND ROW: Vickie Kramek, Song Leader; Ann Sharpe, Parliamentarian; Rose Wagner, Reporter; Rennie Ball, Chaplain.



MISS SHIRLEY NELSON Sponsor

The Future Homemakers of America of Varina High School were kept busy this year. They sponsored bake sales, dances and in the spring they offered an open house to the seventh grade girls. At a Valentine Dance Vernelle Dudley was chosen Queen. The club works in coordination with the Home Economics Department.



FIRST ROW: David Kiser, Billy Wilmoth, Bill Ferguson, G. H. Davis. SECOND ROW: Bill Northern, Seddon Canfield, Joe Meredith, Jeff Harton, Spud Mistr, Billy Windle,

Craig Ormand. THIRD ROW: Frank Maiden, Billy Mistr, Bill Pflaumer, Richard Nunnally, Earl Acors, Eddie Winks.

Key Club Members Attend Kiwanis Luncheons

The Varina High School Key Club is made up of boys in grades ten through twelve who have an academic average of at least 85 and who are outstanding leaders in their classes. The club is a civic organization sponsored by the East Henrico Chapter of the Kiwanis Club. Besides aiding school projects and attending their father club meetings twice a month, they also send representatives to the district convention each year.



MR. THOMAS DOUB Sponsor



FROM LEFT: Joe Meredith, Vice-President; Jeff Harton, Secretary; Spud Mistr, President; Billy Windle, Treasurer.

FBLA'ers Strive for Honesty



FROM LEFT: FIRST ROW: Rita Fuller, Treasurer; Sandy Williams, President; Barbara Butler, Secretary; Judy Goode, Vice President; SECOND ROW: Brenda Morris, Historian; Betty Butler, Secretary; Betty Barlow, Reporter; Barbara Grubbs, Parlimentarian; Carol Meador; Photographer; Mrs. Mary B. Barlow, Sponsor.



F.B.L.A.'ers enjoy Christmas party.

The F.B.L.A. started their year by having a membership drive followed by a bake sale in the fall. During the exam period the F.B.L.A. sponsored "HONESTY WEEK." In March they held what they called "DRESS-RIGHT WEEK." They finished their year in May with a weiner roast. All-in-all these girls have had a very full and fun packed year.



FIRST ROW: Susan Urbach, Carol Meador, Beverly Ruby, Rita Fuller, Sandy Williams, Judy Goode, Betty Butler, Betty Barlow, Barbara Butler, Barbara Grubbs. SECOND ROW: Carolyn Ingroff, Virginia Bulheller, Carolyn George, Charlotte Henshaw, Suvan McCauley, Anna Eberly, Carol Bratcher, Patsy Throckmorton,

Florence Barlow. THIRD ROW: Carol Allen, Brenda White, Cheryl Pierce, Jane Amory, Cheryl Carter, Gloria Butler, Brenda Gontkovic, Kathy Murdoch, Hillis Allen, Christine Saunders. NOT PICTURED: Janice Denton, Mary Marshall, Brenda Morris, Barbara Talley, Sheila Wiltshire, Barbara Hicks.

Varinians Gain Experience As . . .

Journalists in Quill & Scroll

Each year eligible Juniors and Seniors are tapped into this honorary organization. Chosen students must have shown promising journalistic ability. This year's president is Sharon Stoenner, Senior and editor of the *True Relations*.



Library Assistants in Library Club

MRS. GRACE MISTR Sponsor



FROM LEFT: Jerry Ligon, Elaine Dowdy, Helen Myers, Jean Landrum, Wayne Bottenfield, Gloria Dawson, Billy Hufner, Muriel Whitlock, Vickie Allard, Virginia Johnson, Sandra Poindexter, Alma Ritger, Sponsors — Mrs. Burruss and Mrs. Mitchell.

Whether an aspiring librarian or just a student who feels that a thorough knowledge of the Dewey Decimal System will prove handy for future term papers, several Varina students contribute their time to helping keep a wellrun library for the benefit of their classmates. Under the guidance of Mrs. Grace Burruss and Mrs. Alice Mitchell, they stamp passes, check out books, and collect fines, leaving the librarians free to ready more books for our use.

Beta Club Taps Record Thirty-Three



FIRST ROW: Gina Lipford, Gloria Dean, Argice Glenn, Debby Wells, Suzanne Bynum, Nelda Pollard, Sandy Williams, Patsy Throckmorton, Reva White, Carolyn George, George Ann Davis. SECOND ROW: Susan Sweeney, Jackie Clark, Barbara Hicks, Brenda Gontkovic, Betty Hicks, Barbara Grubbs, Clara Jean Sayers, Joyce Doeppe, Beverly Ruby, Lois Miles, Wyvetta Roller, Betty Butler, Carolyn Woods. THIRD ROW: Miss Motley, Lydia Powers, Cheryl Carter, Betty Barlow, Barbara Leleux, Barbara Butler, Sharon Stoenner, Brenda White, Kathy Murdoch, Jeannie Walton, Meade Ferguson, Paula Pipes, Diane Fidler. FOURTH ROW: Buddy Flippo, Herbert Owen, Emil Soukup, Earl Snelson, Earl Acors, Bill Pflaumer, Gary Johns, Joe Meredith, Seddon Canfield. FIFTH ROW: Craig Ormand, Tommy Hines, Eddie Winks, Spud Mistr, Billy Windle, Bill Northen, Jimmy Geer.

When the curtains are drawn back at a surprise assembly and Senior Beta members are revealed standing behind, each Junior feels a tingle of anticipation. This is the day that he has awaited since he entered high school and witnessed similar tapping ceremonies. This year in the fall thirty-three Juniors were honored. Chosen because of their at least "B" average grades and because of their integrity, they were later initiated by having to wear only gold and black on a certain day and were then entertained at a party in their honor. The officers of the Beta Club are Seniors: President Bill Pflaumer; Vice President Sandy Williams, Secretary Jean Walton and Treasurer Jean Berlinghoff.

MISS MAUDE B. MOTLEY Sponsor





Tensions are eased as Beta Club tapping ends and President Bill Pflaumer adjourns assembly.

Annual Staff Struggles to Meet Deadlines

"To whom is the Varinian dedicated?" or "When will the yearbook come out?" were familiar questions addressed to the members of the Varinian staff. "Can't tell, that's a secret!" was a usual reply, as staff members hurried off to get one last page completed or a last minute caption written.

The annual staff gazes on quite engrossed in the picture which Lydia Powers and Reva White are discussing. Last minute work found its members keeping late hours to meet that final deadline. But these diligent workers came through! SEATED: Richard Nunnally, Business Manager; Lydia Powers, Editor; Reva White, Asst. Editor; Chris Liles; Brenda Groome, 8th Grade Editor. STANDING: Mary Lou Boykin, Academic Editor; Charlie Baker, Art Editor; Linda Banton, 7th Grade Editor; Susan Liles, Organizations and Feature Editor.

Below: One of the ways to get ideas is by looking through annuals from other schools as Billy Meade is doing here.



MRS. MIRIAM SPENCE Advisor



Vicki Graves and Susan Liles were two members also "on the ball." Vicki spent many hours taking snapshots during school and at football and basketball games. Aside from this she also acted as Copy Editor and 10th Grade Class Editor. Susan, who was Features Editor, toiled numerous days while creating many interesting layouts featuring Homecoming activities.



Joe Meredith — Sports Editor, Dennis Groome — Advertising Editor, and Susan Sweeney — Junior Class Editor try to decide if a particular picture should be horizontal or vertical.

School Kept Informed by True Relations



FIRST ROW: Bill Northen, George Ann Davis, Sharon Stoenner, Jeannie Walton, Sandy Williams. SECOND ROW: Emil Soukup, Libba Ball, Muriel Whitlock,

Paula Pipes, Meade Ferguson, Buddy Flippo, Diane Fidler, Jean Berlinghoff, Betty Wynne, Susan Mays. THIRD ROW: Butch Lacy, Judy Goode, Lois Miles.



Emil Soukup reads his story to Sharon Stonner while Meade Ferguson questions her.

The newspaper room is a busy place on the day before deadlines. The staff is working industriously to get the pages finished. They try to keep the students up on school happenings by rushing to different events. In addition to flashing the camera and interviewing students they spotlight different colleges and highlight sports activities.



LEFT to RIGHT: Sandy Williams — page two editor, George Ann Davis — page three editor, Sharon Stoenner — editor, Meade Ferguson — page one editor, Jeannie Walton — asst. editor, Buddy Flippo — page four editor.

Paradox Publishes Student Literature



Eddie Winks, Asst. Editor; Jane Amory, Art Editor; Gina Lipford, Copyist; Bill Pflaumer, Editor; Susan Urbach, Typist.

The *Paradox*, Varina's literary magazine, contains articles such as prose, poetry, short stories and themes written by the students. Under the guidance of Mrs.

Charlotte O'Brien it is published twice a year. The Paradox is composed of two main ideas: integrity of effort and creative thinking.



Jesse Holman and Mr. Dixon run off the last copies of the *Paradox* which will soon be distributed.



MRS. CHARLOTTE O'BRIEN
Advisor

Safety Habits Practiced by Students



Sponsor: Mr. Jesse Quisenberry

The Safety Patrol group is most active in the morning and in the afternoon as students board the bus to come to school and then as they get off the bus near their homes. On each bus is a Safety Patrol member who, with the use of his red flag, halts traffic in both directions as the students cross the street in safety.



Diane Fidler and Cheryl Eberhard cross the street in safety as Jimmy McDonough stops traffic with his flag.



FIRST ROW: J. C. Johnson, Dave Meadows, Brenda Lambeth, Linda Ellis, Paula Pipes, Ronnie Fowler, Ann Sharpe, Linda Sprouse. SECOND ROW: Riggie Ingram, Kathy Elliot, Carolyn Walton, Arlene Dowdy, Carol Green, Elizabeth Cooper, Gloria Dawson, Linda Hines. THIRD ROW: Charlotte Yancey, Sandy Grady,

Sandy Williams, Gloria Butler, Cheryl Pierce, Regina Guard, Suvan McCauley, Carol Bratcher. FOURTH ROW: Freddie Melton, Larry Lawrence, Wayne Bottenfield, Dennis Johnson, Glenn Spain, Sam Krevonick, Dennis Buisset, Edward Henderson, Barbara Grubbs.

Red Cross Sponsors March of Dimes Drive



Members of Varina High School Red Cross.

A large number of Varina students show their concern for others by volunteering to help in the Junior Red Cross. Each homeroom can have as many representatives as it wishes. This year they worked in the different stations at Henrico business establishments on Teen Saturday taking up money for the March of Dimes. One week-end the volunteers walked from door-to-door in the Varina area with a sign on their lapel that may have been confusing until you knew that "Tonight I am a Mother" meant they were helping in the annual Mothers' March of Dimes Drive.





Sponsor Mrs. Mabel Marks and Chairman Sandy Williams discuss with members of the Red Cross plans for Mothers' March of Dimes.

Band Has Opportunity to Display



FIRST ROW: Herbert Owen, Mary Duke Enroughty, Mary Thomas, Grace Hines, Burton White, Ronnie Stanley. SECOND ROW: Nancy Johnson, Joan Ormand, Betty Childress, Jackie Turner, George Petzer, Bobby Melton, Gary Worley, Kitty Bowen, Donald Dean, Ray Lassiter, Butch Lacy. THIRD ROW: Mr. Edward Altman — Band Director, Billy





Performances at all football games, many of the pep rallies, the Christmas Toy Parade and its annual concerts kept the Varina High School Band "on its toes" through December. With winter growing shorter, the band members found themselves trying out for All-State Band (for which 6 were chosen), working on spring parades and the annual band festival. A picnic in early June completed a long list of activities for the band.

Band members, under the direction of Mr. Altman, are still enjoying their practice sessions in the new sound proof room.

Talent at Christmas for PTA



Merricks, David Kiser, Larry Garton, Vivian Covitz, Betty Hall, Terry Eacho, Mary Bulheller, Billy Green, Virginia Bulheller, Kathy Murdoch, Susan Jones, Margaret Snead, Roy K. Props, Bill Anderson, Frankie Proctor, Craig Ormand, Ken Weimer.



MISS CHRISTINE BUCCIERI Majorette sponsor



ABOVE: Mary Bulheller, Kathy Murdoch, Susan Jones, Virginia Bulheller — captain, Betty Hall, Margaret Snead, and Vivian Covitz.



LEFT: An exciting performance by majorettes is their twirling of the fire batons.



FIRST ROW: Mrs. Evelyn Mansfield — Director, Vivian Covitz, Vernelle Dudley, Edith Blevin, Sheila Wiltshire, Joanne Dowdy, Larry Meador, Jerry Schwartz, Rickey Wash, Beth Chezik, Susan Mays. SECOND ROW: Joann Perry, Sandra Grady, Linda Shinn, Ronnie Lacy, Aubrey Gilliam, Rodney Estes, Jesse Holman, Nancy Felton, Mary Huxter, Cheryl Ormand. THIRD ROW: Joanne Mann, Cheryl Carter, Ann Burks, Carol Bratcher, Marjorie Priddy,

Alma Ritger, Sandra Bell, Mary Bulheller, Rowena Stevenson, Mary Austin, Charlotte Yancey, Mary Massey. FOURTH ROW: Barbara Estes, Gloria Butler, Pat Ferguson, Sandra Moran, Carol Uzel, Jane Amory, Diane Fidler, Donna Berlinghoff, Linda Hartless, Linda Nelson, Karen Thompson, Rennie Ball, Patty Wagner, Brenda Lindsey. FIFTH ROW: Walter Ritger, Craig Ormand, Eugene Yancey, Tommy Fadely, Charlie Baker, Roy Blake.

Proud Chorus Sings Well in New Robes





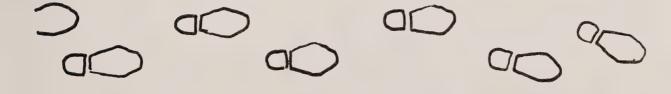
LEFT: Craig Ormand helps girls down from the stage after the chorus performed at the Christmas assembly.

The Varina High School Chorus has participated in various programs during the year. Special choral school programs were presented at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter and for graduation. Other activities include singing for local churches throughout the year. Seven members took part in the All-State Chorus at R.P.I. The chorus entered the festival which was held at Fairfield Junior High School in the spring. There have been many ensemble groups formed from the chorus.

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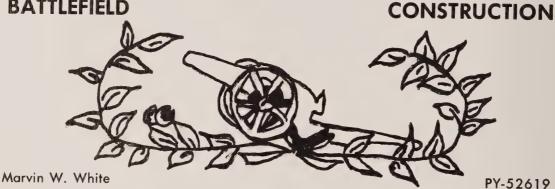
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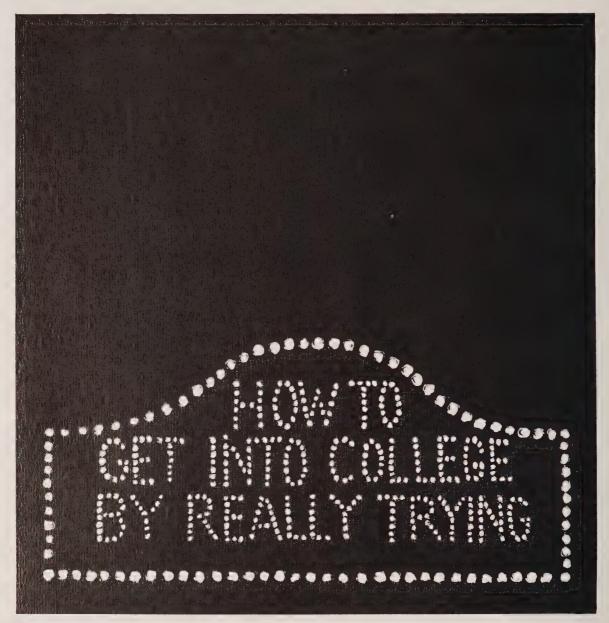
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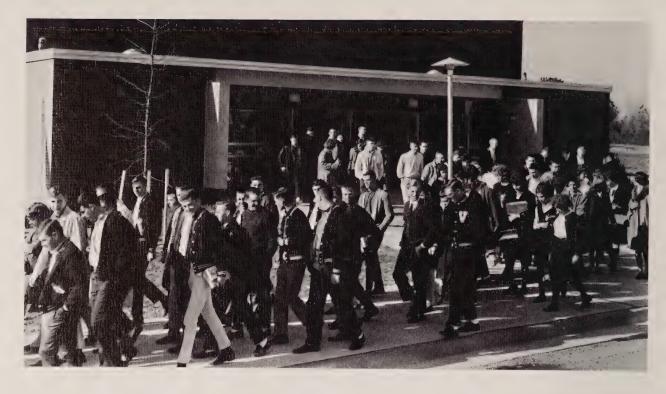
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